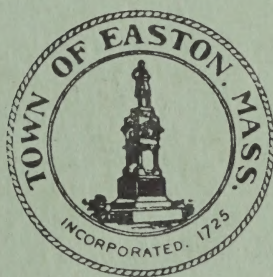


ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
EASTON



For the year ending December 31

1970

TOWN OF EASTON

Incorporated	1725
Area of Town	29 square miles
Population	10,130 (1965 census)
Form of Government	Town Meeting
Number of Dwellings	2,923
Total Assessed Valuation for 1970	\$65,042,401
Councillor—2nd District	Herbert L. Connolly, Newton
Senator—Norfolk and Bristol District	John M. Quinlan, Norwood
Representative in General Court—14th Bristol	John S. Ames III, Easton
Representative in Congress—10th District	Margaret M. Heckler, Wellesley
Selective Service, Local Board No. 56, Attleboro	
Town Meeting — 3rd Monday of March	
Town Election — 4th Monday of March	

1970

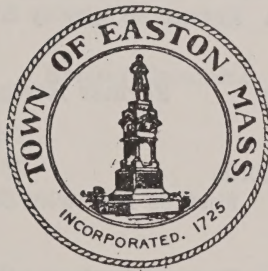
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For the Year Ending December 31, 1970

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In Memoriam

Arthur F. Anderson

Former School Committee Member

Roderick C. Anderson Former Town Accountant

Alice K. Briggs Former School Committee Member

Denis C. Brophy Former Selectman

Thomas C. Brophy

Former Highway Department Employee

Michael J. Canty Former Registrar of Voters

Edward H. Cruickshank

Former Assistant Building Inspector

Carl W. Erickson Former Highway Superintendent

Joseph E. Galvin Former Registrar of Voters

Harding C. Reynolds

Former Highway Superintendent

Frank E. Wilbur Former Highway Superintendent

In recognition of services of these dedicated citizens who performed their civic duties with enthusiasm and pride.

With sense of community loss is mingled deep sympathy for the members of their families.

Town Officers

1970

Moderator

William F. E. Buchtman

Term expires 1971

Selectmen

Arthur H. Tufts

Term expires 1971

Charles C. Willis

Term expires 1972

James D. Mullen, Jr.

Term expires 1973

Robert L. Turcotte—Administrative Assistant

Assessors of Taxes

Willis G. Buck

Term expires 1971

Frederick J. Meade

Term expires 1972

John A. Keach, Jr.

Term expires 1973

A. Edna Cram—Executive Secretary

Town Clerk, Treasurer, and Collector

Esther C. Anderson

Term expires 1972

Assistant Town Clerk

Marion E. Nye

School Committee

Elizabeth F. Ready

Term expires 1971

Goodwill M. Stewart

Term expires 1971

Norman A. Anderson

Term expires 1972

Paul T. Smith

Term expires 1972

Leo M. McEvoy

Term expires 1973

Superintendent of Schools

Philip M. Hallowell

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

John T. Farrington

Board of Health

Herbert L. Everett

Term expires 1971

Robert H. Rollins

January - August

Douglas Killam

August—Term expires 1971

Donald F. Craig

Term expires 1972

Registrars of Voters

Michael J. Canty	January - June
Joseph E. Galvin	January - August
Albert F. Fleury	Term expires 1973
Paul J. Canty	Term expires 1971
James L. Starr	Term expires 1971

Superintendent of Streets

Harding C. Reynolds	January - April
Leon E. Cushman	May -

Tree Warden and Superintendent of Moth Work

Daniel B. Amorim

Water Commissioners

James H. Healey	Term expires 1971
Russell A. Pollard	Term expires 1972
Raymond Taylor	Term expires 1973

Water Department

John H. McEntee	Superintendent
George Newman	Asst. Superintendent
Louise E. Holmes	Office Manager

Chief of Fire Department and Forest Warden

Raymond M. Buck

Chief of Police

Joel A. Johnson

Constables

George A. Pierson	Alliston S. Ray
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Dog Officer

Edmund J. Malley	(resigned)
Roland W. Carlson	March -

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Edward R. Hogan	(resigned)
Barry L. Woodworth	March -

Town Accountant

S. George Lowndes

Town Attorney

Martyn H. Lincoln

Veterans' Agent

Richard J. Kent

Public Welfare and Old Age Assistance

Louis G. Silva

Director

Louise O'Rourke

Social Worker

Civil Defense

Donald S. Winship, Jr.

Director

Ralph C. Nystrom

Asst. Director

Building Inspector

Alexander J. Pires

Assistant Building Inspector

Edward H. Cruickshank

Deceased December 3

Waldo N. Cruickshank

December -

Electrical Inspector

Albert M. Greiner

Gas Inspector

Clyde Shaffer

(resigned)

Robert K. Tufts

April -

Plumbing Inspector

George E. Sawyer

Planning and Zoning Board

Wallace S. Gilmore

January - March

Maurice A. Holton

March - October

Robert T. Leonard

October - Term expires 1971

Lawrence J. Hurley

Term expires 1971

Charles J. Malcosky

Term expires 1972

George T. McGarry

Term expires 1973

John L. Spiby

Term expires 1974

Board of Appeals

Joseph M. Hurley, Chairman

William G. Bassett

E. Vincent Carlson

David M. Rohdin

John F. Mara

Alternates

Arthur T. Lewis

Leo F. Sullivan

Finance Committee

Donald E. Anderson	Term expires 1971
James F. Burton	March - August
John A. DeCoste	January - October
Donald E. Dinneen	December - Term expires 1971
Wallace S. Gilmore	January - April
Peter L. Perron	December - Term expires 1971
Cyril James Sullivan, Jr.	Term expires 1971
Richard J. Tobin	December - Term expires 1971
Robert K. Tufts	Term expires 1971
Richard L. Wise	December - Term expires 1971
Robert L. Alger	Term expires 1972
John S. Ames, III	January - November
Walter K. Chisholm, Jr.	Term expires 1972
John McGarry	Term expires 1972
Roy E. Owens	Term expires 1972
Lewis N. Aries, Jr.	Term expires 1973
Robert E. Keating	January - October
Howard E. Ayers	Term expires 1973
Jerome H. Fletcher	Term expires 1973
John H. Walsh, Jr.	Term expires 1973

Recreation Commission

Jean A. Perrin	Term expires 1971
Raymond J. Richard	Term expires 1971
Robert E. West, Jr.	Term expires 1972
Pricilla Lafayette	March - December
Ralph A. Maynard	March - December
Lawrence Thomas	December - Term expires 1971

Conservation Commission

Allan E. Watts	Term expires 1971
Evelyn M. White	Term expires 1971
John E. Grant	Term expires 1972
Clifford G. Grant	Term expires 1973
Charles C. Willis	Term expires 1973

Town Forest Committee

Allan E. Watts	Joseph G. Cardoza
Charles C. Willis	

Associate Members

Daniel B. Amarin, Supt. of Trees
 Raymond M. Buck, Fire Chief

Housing Authority

Harland F. Almquist	Term expires 1971
MacKenzie Smith	June - Term expires 1971
George T. McGarry	January - April
Leo F. Kent	Term expires 1973
Howard Chandler, State Member	Term expires 1973
Robert E. West, Jr.	Term expires 1975

Regional Vocational School District

Charles D. Anderson	Term expires 1973
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Industrial Development Commission

Harry J. D. Sundell, Chm.	William T. Cummings
Harold T. Darling	

Old Colony Planning Council

Richard A. Ham	Delegate
Richard H. Chase	Alternate

Historical Commission

John J. Kent	Term expires 1971
John L. Spiby	Term expires 1971
Walter J. Hatch	Term expires 1972
Duncan B. Oliver	Term expires 1972
Hazel L. Varella	Term expires 1972
William T. Flynn	Term expires 1973
Clifford G. Grant (Conservation Com.)	Term expires 1973

World War Memorial Scholarship Committee

Clyde A. Craig, Chairman	John S. Ames, Jr.
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John D. Melin

Arthur H. Tufts, Chairman, Board of Selectmen

Leo M. McEvoy, Chairman, School Committee

William J. Lahey, Commander, George S. Shepard Post A. L.

Oscar H. Peterson, Cmdr., George F. Schindler Post V. F. W.

Continuing Committee, Fire Dept. Equipment

Harry J. D. Sundell, Chm.	Frank J. Reynolds
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William J. Lordan	Raymond M. Buck, Fire Chief
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David W. Brown

Sewer Study Committee

Richard H. Chase, Chm.	Russell A. Pollard
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Donald F. Craig	George Luke
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MacKenzie Smith

Town Government Study Committee

John S. Ames, III, Chairman

Donald C. Anderson, (Finance Committee)

Arthur T. Mosher

Bernard A. Farrell

James H. Healey

Avery L. Williams

High School Building Committee

Ross J. Bridge, Chairman

Richard A. Ham, Vice Chairman

Lewis N. Aries, Jr.

Joseph A. Bodio

Robert E. Keating

Alfred F. Gomes

Allan D. MacLean

Leo F. McEvoy

Thomas E. Olliff

Goodwill M. Stewart, M.D.

Vincent P. Wright

Continuing School Building and School Site Committee

Lewis N. Aires, Jr., Chairman

Ross J. Bridge

James E. DeCouto

Wallace S. Gilmore

Alfred E. Gomes

Allan D. MacLean

Leo F. McEvoy

Thomas E. Olliff

Goodwill M. Stewart, M.D.

Report of the Board of Selectmen

Your Board of Selectmen respectfully submits this report briefly summarizing its activities of the past year as well as some of the objectives for the coming year.

In March, James D. Mullen, Jr. was re-elected and the Board organized with no changes.

Regular meetings were held on Monday evenings and on many other occasions as were necessary. The individual members also attended many hearings and meetings of both local boards and departments, as well as those of a state and county level.

As in the past, reporters from the Brockton Enterprise and the Easton Bulletin were present at our weekly meetings to inform the townspeople, and additional releases were made when warranted.

All equipment authorized by the 1970 Town Meeting has been put out for bid and been received by the town.

The temporary land fill site on Bay Road is in operation and the Baldwin Street dump site has been closed to the public.

Proceedings to take the Prospect Street site for sanitary land fill are being held in abeyance until approval is received from the State Department of Public Health. The Town's consulting engineers assure us of the adequacy and desirability of the site. We will proceed with alacrity to procure the site once we receive the necessary approval.

The flood damage repair contract, subject to our 1969 report, for damage at the junction of Pond and Mechanic Streets and Sullivan Avenue, has been completed. The remainder of the work will be accomplished by the Highway Department. The work was supervised by the Pickering Engineers, and the Army Corps of Engineers have given their final approval.

Despite the diligent efforts of our Board, storm or surface drainage is a continuing problem in 1971, due mainly to lack of engineering in the past. There are several articles in the annual warrant to correct past deficiencies. We again request

your support for the increased engineering budget for consulting engineer services in hopes of more successful results in the years ahead. A Master Drainage Plan is worthy of further investigation in an effort to improve the overall drainage problem.

Mr. Robert L. Turcotte was chosen as Administrative Assistant to the Board of Selectmen, as authorized at the last annual Town Meeting. Mr. Turcotte's services have satisfactorily relieved the Selectmen of many of their more tedious chores and allow the members the time to plan and study larger problems in order to accomplish more in the way of economy and efficiency. The addition of an Administrative Assistant has not reduced the time a conscientious Selectman needs to devote to his duties if he wishes to do a satisfactory job.

Sufficient money has been budgeted to allow your Selectmen to be paid as in the past. It is the opinion of this Board that your Selectmen should be paid if the position is to attract candidates from all levels of society. To properly fulfill the responsibilities of the office, many hours of the time that could be spent in gainful employment are lost, and if not compensated for, will eventually allow only those of affluence to participate. Dedication and desire to serve will only last as long as it is not a financial burden.

As was reported in our 1969 report, speeding complaints were prevalent. The survey underway at that time by the Registry of Motor Vehicles and the Easton Police Department has been completed and accepted by the Selectmen. The necessary approved speed signs to implement the survey have been installed, and with the acquisition of radar and related equipment, purchased with federal assistance, much has been accomplished to alleviate the speeding problems of the past. The effectiveness of the program is indicated by the lack of complaints.

The many maintenance problems of the Town Office Building are rapidly becoming of major proportions. We feel strongly the responsibility for properly maintaining the building in a manner in keeping with its past as well as with thoughts of the future. With these thoughts uppermost in our minds, we are submitting an article in the warrant for your consideration to refurbish and repair the Town Office Building in an attempt to restore and preserve its beauty and to improve its versatility.

As our citizens avail themselves more of the services provided through the Selectmen's Office, more has been expected of it. Permits for building, plumbing and gas are issued from this office as well as Board of Health sanitary permits for leaching fields, cesspools and other sanitary disposal methods. Records and files must be compiled and maintained and fees collected. It is therefore becoming virtually impossible for one secretary to accomplish this work and devote sufficient time to the work required by the Selectmen, especially since the addition of our Administrative Assistant and the increased work the Board of Selectmen is attempting to achieve. For these reasons we are strongly recommending a part time secretary to work with the Board of Health and the Building Inspector which would allow the present secretary to work full time for the Board of Selectmen.

The Highway, Tree and Water Departments have voted to organize and join the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees. During the resulting contract bargaining we became increasingly aware of the glaring inequities of salaries in comparative jobs. Having recognized these inconsistencies, we attempted to negotiate raises as well, to eliminate the existing inequalities. The Board also attempted to create job specifications of a broad enough nature to allow maximum versatility and efficiency in deployment of manpower. Ordinarily, these efforts would be the responsibility of a Personnel Board. The Selectmen, with the talent available, will attempt to attain the same results and act in this capacity in the future, if possible, to eliminate some of the complaints of some of the town employees. The Board feels the salary agreement reached through negotiations with the Highway, Tree and Water Department personnel were very reasonable. Our reasons for agreeing to some very generous increases were to eliminate inequities, to attract and retain qualified and capable personnel and to discourage the lesser qualified type of applicant. Since the departments are continually becoming more mechanized and will in the future require men with training and skills to operate this equipment without causing unnecessary damage, we need to attract the best men available. We cannot afford to operate these departments effectively and economically with the unskilled help our non-competitive salaries have attracted in the past.

With the further extension of water throughout the Town, the acquisition of new fire equipment, a new station, and permanent men, your Board felt it would be well to ascertain whether the Town could obtain a higher rating through the Insurance Rating Association. The necessary updated statistics have been submitted to the Association in the belief that a saving to the tax payers might be forthcoming in the form of a reduction in fire insurance premiums.

This Board is also considering raising the fees for licenses and permits issued by this office. The increased costs of issuance and additional revenue are the motivating reasons.

Our Administrative Assistant has been directed to develop a central purchasing procedure. We will at first attempt to accomplish saving in cost for all Departments in just one item such as tires. In the future if successful the procedure will be expanded to include other items.

To make the Selectmen's Office more readily accessible to the citizens, an additional phone has been installed which will ring if the first phone is busy. The new numbers for the Selectmen's Office are: 238-4341 or 238-4342.

This Board accepted with regret the resignation of William L. Flynn with the Fire Department after 47 years of continuous service to the Town, thirty-six years as Fire Alarm Superintendent. The Board was further grieved by his subsequent sudden death.

We wish to thank the many Boards, Committees, departments and commissions for the support and assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR H. TUFTS, Chairman
JAMES D. MULLEN, JR., Clerk
CHARLES C. WILLIS

Board of Selectmen

Report of the Board of Assessors

To the Citizens of Easton:

We submit the following report of the Town of Easton as assessed January 1, 1970:

Value of Assessed Real Estate	\$62,363,175.00
Vale of Assessed Personal Estate	2,679,226.00
Total Assessed Value of Personal and Real Estate	\$65,042,401.00
Number of Dwellings Assessed (including 42 Trailers)	2923

Recapitulation

Amount Raised and Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$3,610,922.74
Amount Appropriated from Available Funds	259,464.25
Bond and Interest Charges	259,640.00
County Retirement and Group Insurance	84,907.34
School Lunches	20,322.82
State Recreation Areas	13,868.57
State Recreation Areas — 1969 Underestimate	262.68
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,147.65
Mosquito Control	6,734.05
State Assessment System	405.20
Old Colony Planning Council	2,026.00
Elderly Retiree Program	124.67
Overlay Deficits for Prior Years	460.29
County Tax	75,486.36
County Tax — 1969 Underestimate	1,686.77
Overlay	136,966.65
Gross Amount to be Raised	\$4,474,426.04
Estimated Receipts	\$1,482,685.56
Overestimates (Cherry Sheet)	495.39
Available Funds	
Water Department	190,455.00
Insurance Reimbursement	3,916.00
Available Funds	31,800.00
Conservation Funds	300.00

Available Funds	23,013.14
Available Funds	1,000.00
Overlay Reserve	2,000.00
Flood Reserve Reimbursement	6,980.11

Total Available Funds and

Estimated Receipts \$1,742,645.20

Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation
on Property

\$2,731,780.84

During the past year your assessors completed a revaluation of all property in the Town. This project, if done by an outside firms, would have cost the taxpayers an estimated \$50,000 and from the reaction voiced by many townspeople the end results compared favorably with those achieved by outside firms that have done other communities. After the revaluation the total assessed valuation of the Town was \$65,042,041, an increase of \$11,633,731 over the previous year.

An article has been inserted in the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting asking for a modest sum of money to install a data processing service in our office. Once established this service should facilitate the work load in the office and make it possible to have our tax bills out at an earlier date, thereby making it unnecessary for the treasurer to borrow money as early as has been necessary.

In accordance with the Town By-Laws the real estate and personal property valuations are being published for the year 1970 and will be distributed with the Town Report.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIS G. BUCK, Chairman
JOHN A. KEACH, JR., Clerk
FREDERICK J. MEADE

Report of the Board of Health

This could be our last report!

A referendum on the March 1971 ballot proposes to dissolve the Board of Health and transfer its duties to the Selectmen. Members of both Boards strongly oppose this because the Town and citizens will be the losers. It would deprive you, the citizens, of the checks and balances that each board exerts on the others, and force upon the Selectmen the specific duties of health and sanitation for which they have no preparation. We feel the Selectmen have a heavy enough work load without adding the complex and numerous tasks of the Board of Health. Furthermore, this poorly conceived referendum would transfer immediately, with no phasing period, such duties as restaurant inspection, reporting communicable diseases, inspection of and issuing sanitary sewage permits, responsibility for implementing and supervising fluoridation, rat control, and many more. The State Department of Health from their small office in Lakeville, which serves several million people in southeastern Massachusetts, cannot possibly assume the responsibilities of the Town of Easton. Our meetings have no press coverage and hence there is no reporting of our problems, projects or progress.

Finally, the citizens have every right to retain their vote for a specific candidate for a specific job; the right to run for offices in capacities they can serve their Town and to re-elect or reject those who have served. We feel they should have the right to a Board orientated towards the health and sanitation needs of the Town during this period of growth and development with separate authority and responsibilities to investigate, monitor, regulate, and advise on public health issues.

Mr. Robert Rollins retired after many years of service to his Town. Mr. Douglas Killam was appointed as replacement. His engineering background and enthusiasm and energy for civil service have been valuable assets. Much time and effort was spent coordinating the complex changes from the Baldwin Street Dump to the temporary landfill operation on Bay Road, and the planning for the site on Prospect Street. Numerous problems had to be solved involving thorough engi-

neering studies, state approval, contract preparation, and legal entanglements and obstacles.

A serious underground fire at Baldwin Street required the heroic efforts of the members of the Benson Enterprises working with the Fire Department to finally put out the fire which caused much discomfort and smoke hazard. Mr. Neubert Morse and Mrs. William Parker are to be thanked and commended for contributing cover fill at this critical time. Final engineering studies have been received to convert this dump to a recreational area. Only final grading, cover material, and landscaping are required for completion.

At a special Town Meeting this past Fall the engineering study for the sanitary land-fill operation off Prospect Street was presented. Mr. Charles Pickering, the project engineer answered questions.

The Board reviewed its own regulations for sanitary sewage systems as well as those of other towns and the State. After meetings with engineers and builders we rewrote and published a booklet of the new requirements. The principal benefit to the Town and home owner is that all systems must be designed and checked and certified by a registered engineer. The Board will issue its permit after review by a registered engineer and inspection by its agent. We feel this establishes the strongest possible system of design and inspection.

Funds for implementing fluoridation were voted at the 1970 annual Town Meeting. However, a petition to put a choice for fluoridation on the referendum (1971) was submitted. Therefore, although the Town Meeting vote was nearly two to one in favor, in order to be completely fair to opponents, initiation was postponed until after the 1971 ballot. The members of the Board of Health of Easton and of the State and the nation strongly favor fluoridation.

Other functions of the Board of Health:

1. Reporting of communicable diseases.
2. Co-sponsoring of Chest x-ray clinics with the Bristol County Health Association.
3. Inspection of food handling establishments — as restaurants and stores.
4. Milk Inspection.
5. Issuance of all permits for piggeries, garbage contracts and transportation, trailer parks, slaughter-

ing, non-alcoholic bottling, day camps, funeral director and plumbing permits, etc.

The members of the Board look forward to a busy 1971. We plan renewed study of air pollution especially as pertains to our local industry; water pollution as pertains to safeguarding our waterways, wetlands and water tables and aquifers; disposal of waste with the opening of the sanitary land-fill operation on Prospect Street, and of industrial wastes which cannot be buried, and waste from demolition and tree and stump removal. We will coordinate with the Planning and Zoning Board, Conservation Commission, Selectmen, and legal counsel for regulations for farm animals within residential areas, charting of wetlands and flood-plain zoning and related building controls, etc.

The future development of Easton requires increasing careful and thoughtful study of problems from many points of view to best utilize our land and preserve its natural resources by proper balance of conservation and growth. Your thoughts, guidance and support are needed.

In the year 1970 there were one hundred fifty-two cases of dangerous diseases reported to the Board of Health as follows: Skin Disease, 1; Mumps, 9; German Measles, 10; Scarlet Fever, 3; Chicken Pox, 33; Strep Throats, 30; Dog Bites, 62; Cat Bites, 1; Gonorrhea, 1; Measles, 1; Tuberculosis, 1.

Licenses issued by the Board in effect were as follows: one piggery permit; two garbage transportation permits; 3 sewage transportation permits; one trailer park license; one non-alcoholic beverage bottling license; two day camp licenses; two funeral directors licenses; two massage licenses; Plumbing Permits, 137; Septic Tank Permits, 92; and 20 burial permits.

Health Department receipts for 1970 amounted to \$4,593.10 which was turned over to the General Funds of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD F. CRAIG, Chairman
HERBERT L. EVERETT, M. D.
DOUGLAS KILLAM

Board of Health

Report of the Maternal and Child Welfare Nursing Service

To the Selectmen and Board of Health
of Easton:

The following is the annual report of the Maternal and Child Welfare Nursing Service for the year 1970.

Eight Well Child Conferences were held during the year by the Easton Nursing Association, Inc., at the nursing office, Frothingham Memorial House. Dr. Clara Waldinger, Pediatrician, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at Boston University, was the attending physician. The Well Child Conferences are for well children only, of pre-school age, residents of Easton, and provide a physical examination, as well as immunizations. The following immunizations are available: Diphtheria, pertussis (whooping cough), and tetanus antigen, smallpox, measles, mumps, rubella (German measles), and Sabin trivalent oral polio vaccines. The tuberculin Tine test is also available. Referrals are made to the family physician of any defects found.

11 infants and 86 pre-school children attended the conferences in 1970.

There were 21 infant and 137 preschool visits to the clinic conferences during the year.

45 injections of DPT (diphtheria, pertussis, and tetanus) were administered to 15 infants and 30 preschool children.

39 preschool children had mumps vaccine.

17 preschool children had measles vaccine.

13 preschool children had rubella vaccine.

19 preschool children received smallpox vaccine.

3 infants and 44 preschool children received the Tine tuberculin test.

12 infants and 74 preschool children had physical examinations.

Of the children attending the clinic, 7 infants and 6 preschool children completed the primary series of Sabin Trivalent oral polio immunization and 34 preschool children had booster doses.

7 infants and 2 preschool children completed the basic series of DPT antigen and 24 preschool children received booster injections.

The Maternal and Child Health Supervision, exclusive of children attending the clinic-conferences, is as follows:

		Cases	Visits
Ante-Partum		9	11
Post-Partum		148	209
Newborn		136	142
Infant		92	121
Preschool	1- 4	182	298
School	5- 9	120	180
School	10-14	33	56
School	15-17	9	13
Adult	18-21	1	3
Adult	21-64	31	75
Adult	65+	41	191
Other			80
Unclassified			139
		802	1,518

The services of the Easton Nursing Association, Inc. are available to any resident of Easton. Hospital beds and other sick-room equipment for home use are also available, at no charge, at the nursing office.

The resignation of Mrs. Ellen Atwood, R.N. became effective on March 30, 1970 after thirty three years of service to the community.

The nurses can be reached at the Easton Nursing Association, Inc. office, Frothingham Memorial House, Barrows Street, North Easton.

Office Hours: 9:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. Monday through Friday.

Telephone 238-2651.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. LAWSON, R.N.

Report of the Department of Veterans' Services

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The cost of providing Veterans' Benefits during 1970 increased substantially over 1969 for several reasons chief among which was that more eligible veterans and their families were in need of assistance.

World War II veterans are now in that age bracket where physical disabilities are more prevalent and in some cases they do not have sufficient insurance to cover the ever-increasing medical and hospital costs. There were several cases of men injured on the job where their unemployment compensation was inadequate to maintain an acceptable standard of living. Unemployment was a contributing factor both due to loss of job and labor disputes. There was an increase of eligible widows and parents of veterans. In addition, the Commissioner of Veterans' Benefits authorized a 3.4% increase in all budget categories as well as several specific increases.

Basic budget guides are established by the Commissioner of Veterans' Services but considerable latitude is given the Veterans' Agent in their implementation. Emergency needs are taken care of immediately, but each case is investigated thoroughly before it is placed on the rolls for a longer period than one month. In addition to my investigation each new recommendation of mine is followed up by a Field Agent out of the Commissioner's Office. This not only provides a review of my judgment but more importantly it gives me the counsel of a professional in the field.

On each case that I accept I am required to forward the initial application and a prescribed form outlining complete facts and my budgetary recommendations to the Commissioner's Office, and, when approved or modified, this is the basis for 50% reimbursement by the Commonwealth. While I have the prerogative to authorize aid over and above that which the Commonwealth will participate in 50% reimbursement, I feel that this is not a healthy policy and have refrained from doing so.

The work load of this Department has grown tremendously in the past two years and requires a minimum of 30 hours weekly to perform personal services and the voluminous

clerical detail. While it has not reached the point where a full-time Agent is needed, it certainly has exceeded the limitations of what is normally accepted as a part-time function, and should be so compensated. This Department was originally created to assist World War I veterans only, but it now serves them as well as Veterans from World War II, Korea and the present Viet Nam Conflict.

The basic function of this Department was to provide financial assistance to Veterans and their families, but this has become subordinated to assisting veterans secure the many benefits made available by the Veterans' Administration. While my only responsibility is to provide the various application forms and assist in their completion, it has been my policy to personally handle their processing with the Veterans' Administration in Boston where the Commonwealth maintains a liaison office for this purpose. While it means more work for me, it expedites the processing and eliminates inconvenience for the Veteran.

A Veteran in need has the choice of seeking aid from the Veterans' Agent or from the State Public Assistance Department, but in most cases they come to me because this Department's benefits are more liberal. However, in cases where hospital expense is involved, I recommend that they go to the Department of Public Assistance because the amount of money involved would soon dissipate my budget. Also, a direct appropriation is no longer made by the Town for the operation of the D.P.A. and it has no immediate impact on our tax rate whereas all monies are appropriated for this Department subject to 50% reimbursement.

I am hopeful that the \$36,000 I have requested will cover the cost of Veterans' Benefits for 1971, and it should be provided that economic conditions do not result in an unusual amount of unemployment and subsequent requests for assistance.

I thank you gentlemen for the opportunity to serve as Veterans' Agent and may I also express my appreciation to Louis G. Silva, the Director of Public Assistance, his staff, the Town Accountant and Treasurer and everyone else who has contributed to the efficiency of the operation of this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. KENT

Veterans' Agent

Report of the Planning Board

To the Citizens of Easton:

This Board has held regular meetings the second Wednesday, unless otherwise posted, of each month plus 18 special meetings and 7 public hearings. It has also been necessary for the members to make inspection tours of the various subdivisions under construction, investigate complaints, have a representative at most Appeal Board hearings and have an engineering firm check the proposed subdivisions and drainage problems as they were presented.

Fifty one plans not requiring approval under the subdivision control law were approved.

Three new subdivisions and one resubmitted subdivision have been approved and are now being constructed. Landsdowne Development Corp. on the north side of Foundry Street and east side of Turnpike Street for apartments with 326 units. Wingate S. Chadbourne on the north side of Summer Street having 8 lots. Wallace S. Gilmore — Cedar Fields — on the south side of Highland Street having 17 lots. Wallace S. Gilmore's resubmitted subdivision — Cedar Hills — on the south side of Old Foundry to Foundry Street having 20 lots.

Three proposed subdivisions were presented. Thomas J. Magri Construction Corp. on the south side of Rockland Street with 56 lots. Old Farm Trust on the south side of Greenfield Street with 41 lots and north side of Berwick Road with 58 lots. Donald MacKinnon, et al off Willow Road and west side of Washington Street having 8 lots.

It is the policy of this Board to submit copies of all definitive subdivision plans, prior to the hearings, to the Board of Selectmen, Board of Health, Building Inspector, Water Commissioners and Fire Department for their comments. All departments of the town and abutters are sent notices of the hearings. During the past two years the Board has requested the Board of Selectmen to submit the proposed subdivision plans to the town's consulting engineer, C. A. Pickering Associates for their opinion of drainage, roads, etc.

Hearings were held on the amending of the zoning by-laws for the rezoning of Red Mill Road, Norton Avenue, Foundry Street and the Easton-Norton line as industrial and amending the subdivision rules and regulations to include a drainage analysis based on a 10 year period of the site for the proposed subdivision.

Monthly meetings have been held with Mr. Leo Mayewski, Project Planner for Metcalf & Eddy, Inc. on the Master Plan together with the advisory committee. The first phase of the Master Plan has been completed and the second phase will be completed in March 1971. In the near future there will be public hearings held on the proposed zoning changes.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE J. HURLEY, Chairman
GEORGE T. McGARRY, Clerk
CHARLES J. MALCOSKY
JOHN L. SPIBY
ROBERT T. LEONARD

Planning Board

Report of the Old Colony Planning Council

The Old Colony Planning Council (OCPC) is the Regional Agency that is authorized by state legislation to conduct research necessary to improve the physical, social and economic condition of the district. It also has the comment, review and advisory powers on many local applications for federal funding.

More simply, our participation in this association of ten (10) area communities, affords the Town of Easton the following opportunities:

1. To communicate and coordinate area development activities.
2. To participate in more economical regional solutions to problems which are common to all growing towns.
3. To secure greater representation and voice in regional planning.
4. To obtain research and study of local problems by OCPC staff.
5. To maintain eligibility for various federal funds, including water-sewer facilities and open space acquisition.

In 1970 the Old Colony Planning Council produced the following reports:

1. Report on Juvenile Delinquency.
2. Sewer-Water Study, Part II.
3. Sewer-Water Study, Part III—to be completed soon.
4. Open Space Project—to be completed soon.
5. Land Use—a continuing study.
6. Housing—to be completed soon.

These studies are necessary steps in forming a comprehensive plan to guide our growth in an efficient manner; to protect the quality of our environment; and to provide for future space and resource needs.

The Old Colony Planning Council is a local public service agency organized to assist both public officials and private citizens of Easton in planning for a better community.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD A. HAM, Delegate

RICHARD CHASE, Alternate

Old Colony Planning Council

Report of the Appeals Board

To the Selectmen of Easton:

We the members of the Easton Board of Appeals respectfully submit the annual report for the year 1970.

Twenty three petitions were received by the Board during the year, which in conformity with the Law were duly advertised and copies of the same mailed to the petitioners, the Planning and Zoning Board and to all owners of property deemed by the Board to be affected.

After hearing all the facts and evidence as presented at the public hearings and visiting the premises in question, the members of the Board found as follows:

Petitions Granted	15
Petitions Denied	3
Petitions Withdrawn	3
Petitions Tabled	1
Petitions Decision Pending	1

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Eight petitions requesting variances of the Zoning By-Laws pertaining to lot areas, frontages and set-back requirements were granted.

Seven petitions requesting special permits for the use of premises were granted on a yearly permit basis.

A petition to locate a trailer (mobile home) in a residential zone was denied.

A petition to change the occupancy from one to two apartments in a Single Family Zone was denied.

A petition to permit a two car garage to be built with a setback less than the Zoning By-Law requirement of twenty five feet was denied.

Three petitions were withdrawn at the request of the petitioners.

A petition to use a vacant dilapidated one story building was tabled to permit petitioner to submit plans that would meet with the Boards approval.

John F. Mara was appointed a member of the Board to fill vacancy due to the passing away of John W. Mahoney. Attorney Leo Sullivan was appointed an associate member to replace Mr. Mara.

Our sincere thanks to all Town Officials and personnel for their co-operation and assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH M. HURLEY, Chairman
WILLIAM G. BASSETT, Secretary
E. VINCENT CARLSON
JOHN F. MARA
DAVID M. ROHDIN

Board of Appeals

Report of the Gas Inspector

To the Selectmen of Easton:

I respectfully submit my report as Gas Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1970.

As of February 1st, 1970 permit fees were increased to \$5.00 for each appliance, making the department self-supporting.

During 1970, all amendments from the Massachusetts Gas Regulatory Board were adhered to, including camping and travel trailers.

Of the 253 appliances inspected, seventy were incorrect and required two or more inspections before final approval.

My sincere thanks to the Selectmen for their cooperation and assistance of their office staff.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT TUFTS,
Gas Inspector

Report of the Building and Zoning Inspector

To the Board of Selectmen:

I respectfully submit my report as Building Zoning Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1970.

New	89
Additions	96
Commercial	13
Trailers	9
Pools	9
Other	22

Total	239
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Total estimated cost	\$3,318,926.00
Total Fees Collected	9,450.00
Total Expenditure	4,000.00

I feel it is time to consolidate all permits related to construction, such as electrical, plumbing, gas, oil burner, sanitary systems, and buildings permits through one office. This would give inspectors closer control and co-ordination between departments. The handling of these permits will require a full-time, part-time secretary.

Our new building code has been well accepted and contractors have cooperated.

The number of permits issued is less than last year, but we have worked harder to enforce our Building Code By-Laws.

I wish to thank the Selectmen for their support and Martyn Lincoln, Town Council for his advice throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER PIRES,

Building and Zoning Inspector

Report of the Dog Officer

Board of Selectmen, Town of Easton:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Dog Officer for April 1970 to December 1970.

- 450 Calls received and investigated
- 60 Dogs reported missing
- 50 Dogs found, that were reported missing.
- 46 Stray dogs, held 10 days and disposed of
- 99 Dogs and cats, hit by cars, fatal

I wish to thank the Selectmen, the Town Clerk's office, the Police Department, and the Highway Surveyor, for their assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND W. CARLSON,

Dog Officer

Report of Plumbing Inspector

To the Board of Health of Easton:

There were 137 permits issued in the year 1970 and the fees collected amounted to \$1,726.00.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. SAWYER,

Plumbing Inspector

Report of the Water Commissioners

The Water Commissioners submit the following report for the year 1970.

Following the Town Elections in March of 1970, Mr. John H. McEntee was appointed Superintendent; Mr. George Newman was appointed Assistant Superintendent and Mrs. Louise Holmes was appointed as Office Manager.

We are planning several Articles for your consideration in this year's Town Warrant. During the year of 1970, you will notice by the Superintendent's report that we installed 114 new services and the water consumption increased about 40 million gallons. We have located two new wells off Washington Street, approximately 600 feet South of the present well which have been approved for quality and quantity by the State. We are planning to install pumping facilities in one of these wells for use in 1971. There will be Articles to cover the costs of land and a new well for one of these sites to insure an adequate water supply at all times.

There will also be an Article to transfer the sum of \$107,720.00 to the Bonded Indebtedness Account.

We want to thank the Selectmen and all other Town Departments for their help and cooperation during the year.

We also want to thank the employees of the Water Department for their interest and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND TAYLOR
RUSSELL A. POLLARD
JAMES H. HEALEY

Report of the Water Department Superintendent

To the Board of Water Commissioners

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report and pumping record for the year 1970.

Month	No. of Gallons
January	28,318,900
February	26,214,000
March	30,009,400
April	28,745,200
May	33,486,800
June	33,108,200
July	38,669,800
August	37,437,300
September	32,012,600
October	32,195,000
November	30,836,100
December	30,107,600
Total	381,140,900

The greatest amount pumped in one week was during the week of July 26, when 10,361,200 gallons were pumped. The greatest amount pumped in a single day during 1970 was 1,744,800 gallons on July 27th.

During the cold spell in the latter part of January and February, we had 15 service pipes frozen which caused us considerable concern and expense thawing out.

We repaired 18 leaks in the system during the year. Two of which were major breaks, one in the 12" main on Bay Road and one in the 8" main on Massapoag Avenue; the others being minor or nuisance leaks in service lines, some of these leaks being harder to repair than the major ones because of conditions.

Eleven old services were renewed because of being clogged or leaking.

There were 101 new services added to the system during the year, including the New High School on Lothrop Street, the Nursing Home on Lincoln Street and the 60 Unit Apartment Complex being built on Foundry Street. These buildings all being in the larger water use category. These additions bring our number of active services to 3,015.

Automobile accidents were responsible for knocking off 5 hydrants, all of which were repaired or replaced and charged to the person involved.

We replaced 5 obsolete hydrants on Washington Street as per vote of the last Town Meeting. There are still 4 more to be replaced as soon as possible.

9,800 feet of 8" water pipe was installed, tested, sterilized and put in service during the summer months. This also added 15 additional hydrants to the system.

We had 12 illuminous painted cones and 10 flashing warning lights, used for warning cars of road openings, stolen from various jobs during the year. These petty thefts cause extra expense and in some instances could cause serious accidents.

At this time, I want to thank the Board of Water Commissioners, Leon Cushman and Philip Wilde of the Highway Department, for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. McENTEE,

Superintendent

Report of the Tree Warden

To the Citizens of Easton

I submit the following report for the Tree Department for the year 1970.

Trimming of deadwood and corrective pruning of shade trees was completed on several streets in the town. We also cut the brush and low limbs on the curves and corners.

Thirty two shade trees were removed, three Oaks, two Sycamores, one Ash, two Pine and twenty-four Maples.

Construction of underground utility conduits, gas, water, telephone, etc., continues to take its toll on shade trees. Black top and excess fill in other areas of new construction have not been for the best health of the trees either. We expect to be removing many more trees in the immediate future from all of these causes. Thirteen shade trees were posted on Route 106 (Foundry Street) from Route 138 to Prospect Street for the purpose of widening and resurfacing. Objection was received on five trees and eight were removed. It is quite possible that this reconstruction will continue on Foundry Street and more trees will be slated for the chain saw.

Maples, Sycamore, Hawthorn, Locust and Mountain Ash were purchased and planted in various locations in the Town. We plan to have Fall planting programs starting this year, this will be in addition to our regular Spring planting. I am requesting \$600.00 for new trees to continue this planting program primarily to replace the many trees that have been and will be removed in the future. At the present time I am not planning a planting program in any new development as I feel that developers should be required to plant trees or protect the trees on the lots as they build.

This year I am requesting a 1971 cab & chassis to replace the 1959 cab & chassis that we now have. The present body winch and boom are to be transferred on to the new chassis.

I wish to thank the men of my department, the Highway Department and the Board of Selectmen for their assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL B. AMORIM,

Tree Warden

Report of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Fire Department of the Town of Easton for the year ending December 31, 1970. In the twelve months period the Department made 550 runs, of these there were 473 Alarms and 77 complaints investigated, 4,930 telephone calls answered for the Fire Department, 439 telephone calls answered for the Police Department, 1,094 open fire permits issued up to September 15, 1970 and 75 storage permits issued. Of the number of alarms, 140 were for grass and brush fires and 333 were for building fires or some other type of emergency service. While there were no fires of large proportions, however there was an increase in the number of dwelling fires. While most of these were minor, they were nonetheless losses in both money and time to the occupants of these dwellings. Some of the dwelling fires were of a more serious nature and the occupants were forced to seek shelter elsewhere.

All apparatus operated in a most efficient manner and is generally in good condition. Something must be done about replacing Engine 3 a 1951 Ford. This truck is in running condition. Due to the model and year, motor and parts are unattainable. I have requested an article in the warrant for a new Engine. A program of preventive maintenance is being carried on and the department is fortunate to have employees who are very capable of performing major repairs. During the year a new engine was installed in combination 1. It is our intention to combine the talents of these men as often as needed for maintenance and repairs.

Deficiencies in manpower of the department still exists and will exist until there is a number of permanent men to operate all stations sufficiently. With the addition of four new permanent firefighters this year, there is a minimum of three men on duty at all times at headquarters and two men at station 2, six days a week. In many situations the response of the call members has not been adequate. This is in no way due to lack of interest or shirking of responsibility but rather due to their regular employment and other commitments which prevent their participation as fully as in former years.

There is still a great need for more permanent men, especially during the day time. The finest equipment available is of no great value unless there is manpower available sufficiently to operate it in the protection of life and property against fire.

The Fire Alarm system is in good condition. New circuit has been added for the Furnace Station so that as soon as the horns and valve are repaired, that station will be tied into the alarm system. Our regular maintenance and expansion program was carried out during the year. Additional boxes were added to the system. Every Monday night at 7:00 p.m. a street box is tested for actual operation. Traffic control signals have been installed at the Furnace Station, and have proven to be a great help to get in and out of the station with the traffic on 123 and 106.

William Flynn Fire Alarm Superintendent retired December 31, 1970. He is instrumental in maintaining and expanding the Fire Alarm system from 1923. From the old alarm board and system to the new board in 1956 and the big change over in 1968 moving the system from Sullivan Avenue to Lothrop Street. Thanks for a job well done.

Training classes and drills have been held bi-monthly by three companies under the supervision of Deputy Chief Robert Mitchell. All permanent men and most of the call men have passed the Red Cross First Aid course. Some members attended a two day seminar at West Bridgewater Fire Station and drill grounds sponsored by the Plymouth County Fire Chiefs association. Special classes were conducted in rescue breathing and other methods of artificial respiration, including instruction in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation.

I attended the New England Association of Fire Chief's conference at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, New England Association of Fire Marshals conference at Burlington, Vermont. I also attended regular meetings of the Massachusetts Forest Fire Councils and various fire prevention meetings throughout the State.

Inspections of schools, public buildings and business establishments, as required by law, were regularly conducted. Fire drills at all schools have been observed. Number of inspections requested by property owners or tenants were made and recommendations were offered where fire and safety hazards were found. Fire Prevention Week was observed

October 5, 1970 and many of the towns people took the opportunity to visit the station and inspect the equipment.

Anti-Pollution Law as adopted under provisions of Section 142D, Chapter 111, General Laws, as inserted by Chapter 836 of the Acts of 1969. These regulations are in force and effect after September 15, 1970. All burning in the open is prohibited.

Neither the success we have enjoyed nor the progress we have made would have been achieved without the cooperation of not only our personnel, both full time and call members, as well as the Department heads and many other town employees who also gave their cooperation and assistance whenever it was requested and wherever it was needed. Also to the Civil Defense Auxiliary Fire Department for their kind assistance.

I would like to leave a reminder to individuals and organizations that the Easton Fire Department and Fire Prevention Bureau stands ready to assist with advice, information or any other assistance requested.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND M. BUCK,
Chief

Report of the Superintendent of Highways

The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Easton

This report will cover the period from May 4, 1970 to December 31, 1970.

Our first project was Chapter 90 work on Route 106. This was resurfaced with type I mix from Route 138 to a point west of Prospect Street. We hope to continue this project in 1971. Route 106 from the West Bridgewater line to Route 138 was sealed with stone and MC 3000 oil.

Bay Road was sand sealed from the Stoughton line south to Pheasant Lane, from there it was stone sealed to the Norton line. Highland Street was also stone sealed from Foundry Street to the Mansfield line. A small section of Prospect Street was resurfaced with Type I mix from Route 106 south about one half mile. Dean Street was penetrated and sand sealed from Bay Road to the Norton line.

There were two culverts replaced, one on Prospect Street the other on Allen Road. The head walls on a culvert on Mill Street were replaced. A stone culvert was replaced on Holmes Street at the rear of 27 Holmes Street. There were other culverts cleaned and repaired.

We erected Speed Signs on most of the main streets that were speed zoned, the rest will be erected when weather permits. The damage done to these signs and the street signs is unbelievable.

The headwalls on Mechanic Street are completed. We have fenced most of the area to prevent injury and protect property. This area will be converted to a Park this coming year. It should enhance the area greatly.

There were three drainage problems completed this year, one was on Foundry Street at Poquanticut Avenue, one at the Easton Green, South Easton and one on Sheridan Street near Coughlin Road.

The maintenance of Parks, Playgrounds, Cemeteries and the grounds at the Town Office were carried out as per schedule.

The sidewalk maintenance schedule was not completed due to the added work load placed on the department by the phasing out of the Baldwin Street dump and preparing and opening of the Landfill site.

The Sanitary Landfill site adjacent to the Easton Sand and Gravel pit on Bay Road was opened for operation on September 7, 1970. We had to have water, electric power and telephone service installed. A building for shelter was purchased from the South Eastern Vocational High School. The operation of the Landfill, the personnel and the rubbish pickup will be turned over to the Highway Department on January 1, 1971.

The inspection of sub-divisions for construction of roads and drainage and reports were given to the proper departments.

The month of December with its record of having more snow than we have had for one hundred years was a challenge. We worked nights and days to clean it up. We kept the hiring of equipment to a minimum. The men were very responsive when asked to work which I appreciate very much.

The new equipment I have requested is essential to the welfare of the people of Easton.

Since the Federal Government's edict on pollution, we are not allowed to burn either leaves or rubbish, the amount is constantly increasing so I have requested a Leaf-Vac and a new rubbish packer. For replacement, a four wheel drive low mount dump truck to replace a one half ton pickup truck.

The departments motorized equipment is being cared for by two of the Highway Department men who are quite versatile. All repairing, painting, wiring and welding is done by these two men, they are also equipment operators. A complete record is kept of each piece of equipment from oil change to any repairs that have been made.

In closing, we of the Highway Department would like to express our thanks to the Board of Selectmen, Mr. Robert Turcotte and all departments and commissions for their co-operation. I thank the men of this department for their attitude, effort and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON CUSHMAN,
Highway Superintendent

Report of the Recreation Committee

The Easton Recreation Commission respectfully submits the following report summarizing what it considers another successful year in the town's summer recreational program.

The pool under the supervision of Cynthia A. Fox and Stephen Clay had a record attendance; over 1000 children from the age of 6 to 16 years received swimming instructions from qualified American Red Cross instructors. Handicapped swimming, adult swimming lessons as well as a competitive swim team have become an integral part of the pool program. Increasing numbers of Easton residents are becoming rabid patrons of the swimming area. Although the peak attendance for a particular day this year decreased, the over-all attendance for free swim radically increased. The annual Jaycee-Lions swim meet held in conjunction with the Commission was another huge success. Trophies and ribbons were awarded to 75 young men and women who had proven themselves the best in competition. Probably the most rewarding aspect of the entire meet was the fact that most of the competitors had learned to swim right at the Town pool. The Commission added a third dock with a diving board to a.) alleviate the increasingly crowded condition, and b.) provide a teen area to attract more youngsters from the age of 14 to 17 years. The Commission definitely felt that both objectives were accomplished.

Five playground programs were conducted during the middle six weeks of the summer in the Unionville, Eastondale, Furnace Village, South Easton, and North Easton areas of the community. The Frothingham Park in North Easton and the Center School in South Easton had both junior and senior programs, while the remaining three conducted only junior ones. The Commission felt that although this program was a success, it would be in the best interest of the citizens of Easton to seek to employ older leaders on the playgrounds in order to make the program more creative and attractive to the children of the town. Arts and crafts, competitive games, nature hikes, special activity days and an over-night camp-out highlighted the diversified program.

Another successful skate-sale swap was held in December. Approximately 100 pairs were exchanged.

Prior to the commencement of the summer program, the first aid and lifeguard station at the town pool was burned by vandals. Through the hard work of many people, the Commission was able to settle the insurance claim, design a more functional building, and have it constructed without any additional cost to the town. The construction included the rough plumbing and closed tanks for indoor toilet facilities and the fixtures for the toilets shall be part of this years budget.

At the close of the summer Edward F. Lemish, Director of Recreation submitted phase one of a three phase master plan for recreation to be adopted by the Commission. The plan outlined the recreational philosophy and broad range objectives through which a governmental agency shall operate. The plan called for two additional phases: phase 2, to survey the needs and interests of young and old alike through a wide range of channels, and to set-up a priority schedule for the institution of such programs deemed necessary; and phase 3, to constantly re-evaluate, modify and adapt the program to meet the changing structure of our community. It is to these ends that this Commission is now dedicated.

To meet the immediate needs of our citizens this Commission plans to institute a movie program on Saturdays during the summer, an instructional boating program at the Town pool, a basketball court for teenagers and light-up one of our local ponds for ice skating for those of all ages.

Future plans are now under consideration and this Commission welcomes your opinion.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. WEST, JR., Chairman
 JEAN PERRIN, Vice Chairman
 RAYMOND C. RICHARDS, JR.
 LAWRENCE THOMAS
 JEAN KENT

Recreation Commission

Annual Report of the Easton Historical Commission

During its second year in existence, the Easton Historical Commission has continued to have as its prime concern the determining and the cataloging of the many historical assets of Easton. Members have spent many hours compiling informational data about cemeteries, monuments, artifacts and structures. The forms completed to date have been duplicated and one copy filed with the Massachusetts Historical Commission for use by federal and state authorities. The rest of the inventory will be completed during the forthcoming year. The Commission would like to express its appreciation to the members of the community, including the Eagle Scout candidates of Troop 76, for assisting in this vital project.

Also, the Commission has made a definite effort to be represented at all hearings, state and local, pertaining to proposed actions which might affect any of the community's historical sites and structures. For instance, state authorities have been contacted and petitions circulated about the proposed Route 25 interchange in Norton which would cause a radical change to the historic Bay Road.

Another concern has been the initiating of plans for an appropriate celebration in 1975 of the joint anniversaries of the town's incorporation (1725) and the commencement of the Revolutionary War activities (1775). All local schools, organizations, and businesses were encouraged to send representatives to two planning sessions in the fall. It was voted unanimously to conduct a dual anniversary celebration, and a seven-member committee was charged with the responsibility of recommending ideas for the initial planning and financing. This committee will consist of three members of the Historical Commission and four representatives of the large committee, with the chairman of the Historical Commission being the presiding officer. It is hoped that all Easton groups will become involved in the planning of this significant occasion.

The Commission meets the third Wednesday of each month, and all residents are welcome to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. KENT, Chairman

WILLIAM T. FLYNN, Vice-Chairman

HAZEL L. VARELLA, Secretary

CLIFFORD G. GRANT (Conservation
Commission)

WALTER J. HATCH

DUNCAN B. OLIVER

JOHN L. SPIBY (Planning and
Zoning Board)

Easton Historical Commission

Report of the Board of Registrars

Various meetings of the Board were held for the registration of voters.

At the close of registration February 24, 1970 the number of registered voters was as follows:

	Women	Men	Total
Precinct One	706	716	1,422
Precinct Two	1,488	1,482	2,970
Precinct Three	850	796	1,646
Totals	3,044	2,994	6,038

At the close of registration August 15, 1970 the number of registered voters was as follows:

	Women	Men	Total
Precinct One	769	769	1,538
Precinct Two	1,527	1,537	3,064
Precinct Three	878	832	1,710
Totals	3,174	3,138	6,312

Distribution of voters by party designation was as follows:

	Rep.	Dem.	Ind.	Tot.
Precinct One—Women	192	81	496	769
Precinct One—Men	194	77	498	769
Precinct Two—Women	429	297	801	1,527
Precinct Two—Men	381	341	815	1,537
Precinct Three—Women	297	127	454	878
Precinct Three—Men	248	132	452	832
Totals	1,741	1,055	3,516	6,312

At the close of registration October 3, 1970 the number of registered voters was as follows:

	Women	Men	Total
Precinct One	776	780	1,556
Precinct Two	1,560	1,540	3,100
Precinct Three	853	789	1,642
Totals	3,189	3,109	6,298

Distribution of voters by party designation was as follows:

	Rep.	Dem.	Ind.	Tot.
Precinct One—Women	311	107	358	776
Precinct One—Men	302	102	376	780
Precinct Two—Women	578	357	625	1,560
Precinct Two—Men	517	406	617	1,540
Precinct Three—Women	364	141	348	853
Precinct Three—Men	331	146	312	789
Totals	2,403	1,259	2,636	6,298

It was with deep regret that the Board of Registrars suffered the loss of two faithful members, Mr. Michael J. Canty and Mr. Joseph E. Galvin.

Michael J. Canty was first appointed to the Board of Registrars in March 1950 and passed away June 24, 1970 after 20 years of faithful service on the Board.

Joseph E. Galvin was first appointed to the Board of Registrars in March 1957 to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of his father. Joseph passed away August 19, 1970 after 13 years of faithful service on the Board.

Their knowledge of registration procedure and laws were of great value to us and they will be greatly missed.

On September 8, 1970, the Board of Selectmen appointed Mr. Paul J. Canty to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his father.

Mr. James L. Starr was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Joseph E. Galvin.

All nomination papers and petitions were checked and approved at various meetings.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT F. FLEURY, Chairman

PAUL J. CANTY

JAMES L. STARR

ESTHER C. ANDERSON

Registrars of Voters

Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1970. This department has completed the following work. It has inspected, tested, adjusted where necessary, and sealed the following devices:

Inspections	A	S	N.S.	C
Scales over 10,000 lbs.		1		2
Scales 5,000 -10,000 lbs.				
Scales 100 - 5,000 lbs.	1	3		
Scales 10 - 100 lbs.		19		
Scales less than 10 lbs.		4		
Gasoline Pump Meters		60		
Tank Truck Meters		7		
Grease and Oil		1		
Total	1	95	0	2

A—Adjusted, S—Sealed, N.S.—Not Sealed,

C—Condemned

Complaints	1
Applications for Peddler's License	1
Oil Trucks inspected for seal and meter readings	7
Trial weighing of commodities sold or put up for sale:	
Total re-weighed	67
Number correct	67
Number incorrect	0

This department has filed its Annual Report with the Directors of the Division of Standards, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State House, Boston.

Receipts

Fees collected and paid to Town Treasurer	\$217.00
State Peddlers	16.00
Total	\$233.00

1970 Budget of Sealer of Weights and Measures

Salary	\$400.00
Expense	\$200.00
Total	\$600.00

Respectfully submitted,

BARRY L. WOODWORTH,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

Report of Insect Pest Control Superintendent

Board of Selectmen
Town of Easton, Mass.

I respectfully submit the following report for the year 1970.

This has been a very difficult year as the spray program progressed. Because of the limited use of different type sprays and the addition of many more swimming pools that had to be avoided because of the drifting of the spray material.

Most of the shade trees were sprayed in May and June with Sevin to control canker worms. This was no sooner completed when the Oak Leak Skeletonizer appeared, the Oak trees had to be sprayed again because the approved materials break down and are not long lasting and are more expensive.

All the Elm trees were sprayed with Sevin, for the control of the leaf beetle. Willows were also sprayed with Sevin, for the control of flea weevil and leaf beetle.

Aphids were sprayed with Sevin or Malathion and a limited use of Thiodan.

All visible tent caterpillar nests were sprayed, in private yards and along the roadsides. Several Gypsy Moth egg clusters were found and destroyed.

Because of unfavorable weather conditions, wind, rain, etc., spraying for the second brood of Oak Leaf Skeletonizer was not completed. There may be another serious outbreak of this pest the coming season. Despite all reports the seventeen year Cicada beetle was not a troublesome pest.

A dormant spray of Methoxyclor was applied to all Elms during April and May for the control of the Elm Bark Beetle, vector of the Dutch Elm disease.

Ninety Elm tree samples were sent to the Massachusetts shade tree laboratories for analysis. Seventy were confirmed as diseased Dutch Elms. Fifty four have been removed, the remaining sixteen will be removed this spring, most of these are on private property. The stumps were cut to below grade with a stump cutter hired for this purpose.

Permission from the Town Forest Committee was granted to this department for the disposal of Elm trunks in the Town forest. A section of the scrub oaks was cleared and a trench made to dump all diseased wood. This will be buried and the area can be planted with new seedlings at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL B. AMORIM,

Supt. of Insect Pest Control

Bristol County Mosquito Control Project

ANNUAL REPORT — EASTON, MASS.

December 31, 1970

On June 30, 1971, the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project will complete twelve years of service to the Town of Easton and eighteen other communities in the County.

The past year was an extremely busy one with a very heavy influx of mosquitoes and the appearance of equine encephalitis in the southeastern section of the State in mid-July.

Of the fifty-five horse cases reported, Bristol County was fortunate to have recorded only five. One human case was reported in Plymouth County. The towns involved in Bristol County were Westport (1), Dartmouth (1), Acushnet (1) and Raynham (2).

Our drainage program was hampered by the breakdown of our tractor-trencher. However, we have purchased a new one and it is currently at work on the backlog of drainage requests that have been prevalent over the past year.

The larvicide program began in March and continued until spraying operations began with approximately 80½ acres being treated.

Our sprayers were mounted in late April as mild weather prevailed and continued until after the last case of encephalitis was reported in October.

As spraying operations ceased, the reclaiming of brooks and streams began, resulting in the removal of obstructions and debris from 1,002 feet of existing waterways. 1,102 feet of brush were removed to speed the flow of water.

The Project tractor-trencher was instrumental in the removal of 450 feet of ditching in areas where hand work was impractical.

All catch basins were checked and treated if found to contain mosquito larvae.

The Project is now being aided in its efforts to control mosquitoes by Mr. Clarence Tourville, Entomologist, who recently joined the State Reclamation Board.

I would like to make it known that this Project does not, and will not use any insecticides without the approval of the State Pesticide Board.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK W. DILLINGHAM,
Superintendent

Report of Police Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Police Department of the Town of Easton for the year ending December 31, 1970

ARRESTS

Offense	Male	Female
Assault & Battery	3	
Breaking & Entering & Larceny (Daytime)	7	
Breaking & Entering & Larceny (Nighttime)	3	
Attempted Breaking & Entering (Daytime)	2	
Larceny Over \$100	9	
Larceny Under \$100	2	
Larceny of Motor Vehicle	3	
Larceny by Worthless Check (over \$100)		
4 Counts	2	
Larceny by Worthless Check (Under \$100)	3	
Attempted Larceny	4	
Begetting	1	
Drunkenness	48	
Insane	7	1
Escapees	7	
Defrauding an Innkeeper	1	
Lewd and Lascivious	5	
Assault with a Dangerous Weapon	1	
Rape	1	
Attempt to Commit a Crime	2	
Neglect to Provide	7	
Disturbing the Peace	6	
Accosting	1	
Malicious Damage to Personal Property	3	
Malicious Damage to School Property	2	
Transportation of Alcoholic Beverage by a		
Minor	16	
Violation of Probation	1	1
Fugitive from Justice	1	
Violation of Town By-Laws	2	
Carrying a Firearm Without a Permit	2	
Receiving Stolen Property	1	
Indecent Assault upon a Child Under 14		
Years of Age	1	

Offense	Male	Female
Using a Motor Vehicle without Authority	3	
Possession of a Hypodermic Needle	1	1
Putting in Fear for Means of Larceny	1	
Possession of False I. D. Card	1	
Loitering	1	
Unlawful Possession of Brass Knuckles	1	
Unlawful Possession of a Dangerous Weapon	1	
Armed Robbery	1	
Possession of Narcotic Drugs	1	
Being Present Where Narcotic Drugs were Found	1	
Total	166	3
Speeding	137	8
Operating so as to Endanger	45	2
Operating Under the Influence	25	1
Operating Without a License	10	
Operating Without a License in Possession	13	
Operating Without Registration in Possession	18	1
Operating an Unregistered Motor Vehicle	11	
Operating a Motor Vehicle Without a Validating Sticker		1
Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle	11	
Failing to Stop for a School Bus	1	
Attaching Plates	7	
Operating in Violation of a Restricted License	1	
Leaving the Scene of an Accident After Property Damage	7	1
Failing to Keep to Right	9	1
Violation of a Mechanical Signal	20	4
No Inspection Sticker	14	1
Passing With an Obstructed View	15	
Failing to Stop for a STOP Sign	3	
Operating After Suspension of License	2	1
Operating After Revocation of License	1	
Operating With Faulty Equipment	1	
Allowing an Improper Person to Operate	1	1
Total	352	22

JUVENILE ARRESTS

Offense	Male	Female
Speeding	1	
Operating Without a License	6	
Malicious Damage to a Building (14 counts)	5	
Malicious Damage to School Property	2	
Putting in Fear for Larceny	1	
Larceny Under \$100	1	
Larceny Over \$100 (16 Counts)	5	
Delinquent Child	10	1
Attempted Breaking & Larceny	2	
Truant	1	1
Larceny of a Motor Vehicle	1	
Using a Motor Vehicle Without Authority	2	
Violation of Narcotic Laws	2	
Carrying a Firearm Without a Permit	1	
Being Present where Narcotic Drugs were Found	2	1
Armed Robbery	1	
Total	42	3
TOTAL MALE ARRESTS FOR YEAR 1970		560
TOTAL FEMALE ARRESTS FOR YEAR 1970		28

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1970

Complaints	4,107
Investigations	4,132
Messages Delivered	257
Accidents—	
Property Damage	183
Property Damage and Personal Injury	106
Pedestrian	3
Fatal	(5 Deaths) 4
Hit & Run	3
Breaks	78
Attempted Breaks	5
District Court Appearances	349
Superior Court Appearances	44
Missing Persons	30
Missing Persons Located	29
Emergency Hospital Trips	220
Fire Calls Responded to	62
Burglar Alarms Sounded	19
Burglar Alarms Sounded at Banks	13

Offense	Male	Female
Summonses Served for Outside Departments		273
Summonses Served for This Department		31
Motor Vehicles Stolen		33
Motor Vehicles Recovered		33
Property Lost or Stolen		\$32,761.90
Property Recovered		\$34,862.00
Motorized Snow Mobiles Stolen		6
Windows Found Open or Unlocked		9
Doors Found Open or Unlocked		22
Street Lightes Reported as OUT		85
Escapees Apprehended		5
Bomb Threat Calls		7
Bicycles Stolen		22
Bicycles Recovered		18
Property Checks		571
Calls for Outside Assistance		3
Committments—Male		4
Committments—Female		3
Citations issued by Easton Police		417
Pistol Permits Issued		170
Firearm Cards Issued		100
Ammunition Permit Issued		1
Firearm Dealers Permits Issued		2
Total Court Fines Imposed		\$7,600.00
Total Sentences Imposed	11 Years 2 Months 10 Days	
Total Probation Imposed		22 Years
Residents Receiving Citations From Outside Departments		270
Motor Vehicle Transfers—		
Class 1		340
Class 2		1,062
Class 3		122

Statistics for the year have again surpassed those for any previous year and I suggest that residents review the foregoing facts so as to keep abreast of the duties being accomplished by your police department.

Radar and Vascar are now in use and has proven to be most effective as a deterrent to reduce speed of vehicles on our highways and an increase of 182 departmental citations were issued in 1970.

Further education in the various fields of law enforcement are being attended by members of the department to keep abreast of knowledge necessary to combat crime.

The many breaks into homes and business establishments again prompts me to request the assistance of residents to take the necessary precautions when absent from their properties and to notify the department of any events that appear to be unusual.

The drug situation continues to exist and I strongly urge that any information pertinent to this problem be reported immediately for a confidential investigation.

For the many calls and letters expressing appreciation for services rendered, the department is collectively most appreciative.

The Auxiliary Police have again, as in the past, given many hours of valuable assistance for which we are most grateful.

We are deeply indebted to the various town departments which have assisted us during the year.

In conclusion, I would like to thank personally the members of the department for their continuous support in the discharge of duties of my office.

Respectfully submitted,

JOEL A. JOHNSON,

Chief of Police

ARRESTS BY MASSACHUSETTS STATE POLICE IN EASTON FOR YEAR 1970

Liquor Law Violations Under Age of 18	1	Male
Operating so as to Endanger Under Age of 18	1	Male
Other Moving Traffic Violations Under Age of 18	2	Male
All Other (Except Traffic)	1	Female
Total Arrests	5	

Massachusetts State Police
Troop "D" Headquarters
Middleboro, Mass.

REPORT OF SAFETY OFFICER

Joel A. Johnson
Chief of Police
Easton, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

I am submitting my third annual report as Safety Officer, and I am pleased to say that we have completed another year of accident free travel for the students of our schools. I would like at this time to thank the patrol boys, and the many drivers of the school buses for their dedication to a most demanding task.

Unfortunately, such is not the case regarding the remainder of our highway picture. We had five (5) deaths in four (4) fatal accidents. This figure is somewhat higher than our last five (5) year average. Until we can reduce and hopefully eliminate this figure we will strive to make the highways of Easton a safe and sane place to drive.

In this respect, we have put the radar to good use. It was used extensively this year, and a number of citations and warnings were issued. In the coming year we hope to put it to greater use, along with our Vascar unit, which is a computer system for registering speed of motor vehicles.

The annual trip for the patrol boys was again held at Lincoln Park, and as usual met with its usual success.

Respectfully submitted,

LEONARD R. NORDBECK,

Safety Officer

Report of the Housing Authority

To the Selectmen of Easton:

Our 64-Apartment Housing for the Elderly Complex, better known as Elise Circle, is now very well established. Every apartment was occupied all twelve months of 1970. Our total turn over is six—two between September and December, 1969, and 4 in 1970. At present we have a substantial waiting list.

Robert E. West Jr. was re-elected to the authority in the Town election in March. At our organizational meeting in April the following officers were elected: Chairman, Robert E. West Jr.; Vice Chairman, Leo Kent; Treasurer, Howard Chandler, and Assistant Treasurer, Harland Almquist. George McGarry resigned from the Authority in May. MacKenzie Smith was appointed by the Selectmen and this Authority to fill the vacancy until the next Town Election. In August Robert E. West Jr. resigned his office as chairman, and on August 31st new elections were held as follows: Chairman, Leo Kent; Vice Chairman, MacKenzie Smith; Treasurer, Howard Chandler; and Assistant Treasurer, Harland Almquist.

The name of the Tenant Organization at our project is The Elise Circle Club. The Club is completely separate from the Authority, being made up and run by the tenants themselves.

Many thanks to the various Town Departments and Civic Organizations for their services rendered to us during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO F. KENT, Chairman
 MacKENZIE SMITH
 HOWARD L. CHANDLER
 HARLAND F. ALMQUIST
 ROBERT E. WEST, JR.

Easton Housing Authority

Report of the Sewer Study Committee

To the Selectmen of Easton:

The Sewerage Study Committee was continued as authorized by Article 40 of the 1970 Town Warrant. The Moderator appointed the existing committee members. In July 1970 Chairman James Burton had to resign due to a business transfer. George Luke was appointed to fill the vacancy by the Moderator and Richard Chase was elected as the new Chairman.

Metcalf and Eddy was retained by the Committee to complete a thorough study of the town's existing and projected sewerage needs and a preliminary engineering survey of a sewerage system and treatment facilities. This study has been coordinated with the Easton Master Plan and Old Colony Planning Council plan. Metcalf and Eddy's report will be submitted to the Committee before the 1971 Town Meeting.

So that the Town will be in a position to take any action on town sewerage that it sees as necessary, the Committee has included articles in the Town Warrant that, in essence, do the following:

1. Continue the Sewerage Study Committee as a Sewerage Construction Committee.
2. Authorize the Sewerage Construction Committee to apply for any available state and federal funds for detailed design of an initial sewerage program.
3. Appropriate the Town's share of initial money required to initiate a Sewerage Construction Program.

A complete report will be presented to the 1971 Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. CHASE, Chairman
 MacKENZIE SMITH,
 Secretary-Treasurer
 DONALD F. CRAIG
 RUSSELL POLLARD
 GEORGE LUKE

Sewerage Study Committee

Report of the Inspector of Animals

To the Selectmen of Easton:

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1970.

During the year inspection of all dairy cattle was made and conditions and cleanliness of the premises where they were kept. The horses were also inspected and the building where they were housed.

There were 2,800 cattle shipped into the Town of Easton from out of State since January 1, 1970. These cattle were inspected and ear tag numbers sent to the Department of Livestock Disease Control.

There were 57 dogs quarantined for 10 days each because of dog bites and inspected again at the end of 10 days for symptoms of rabies. If you wish to compare this number of dog bites in the 1969 report you will find the number exactly the same.

The inspection of 193 grade dairy cattle, 5 dairy heifers one to two years of age, 39 dairy heifers under one year of age, 1 bull, 2 sheep and forty-eight horses which is exactly double the number over last year. This indicates that although the horse and buggy is not coming back the horses are.

I wish to thank the Easton people and especially the boys and girls for your cooperation in compiling this statistical data.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. TUFTS,

Inspector of Animals

Report of the Civil Defense Director

To the Citizens of Easton:

Following is a brief summary of our activities for 1970 with a total of the man hours expended in each category:

76	Fire Alarms	200 Man Hours
82	Traffic Accidents	325 Man Hours
10	Special Auxiliary Police	
	Assignments	358 Man Hours
18	Routine Police Patrols	90 Man Hours
	Miscellaneous Drills and Train-	
	ing Meetings	60 Man Hours

Both of our Lighting Trucks assisted the Stoughton departments at an airplane crash last Spring. We had the only emergency lights at the scene. This was due to the fact that we were equipped and carried ample cable to reach the scene from the roadway. At one point in the operation, we had over two thousand feet of cable and twelve floodlights set up at various points around the scene while the area was being searched for possible survivors.

Through the cooperation of Chief Johnson, the Auxiliary Police were able to gain valuable Police training by participating in routine police patrols. We had one man per week riding with a regular police officer for a full evening for most of the year.

Again this year, the entire Auxiliary Police Force assumed the duties of the regular Police Department so that the regular officers could attend the Police Association Ball.

The interior of our building has taken on a new look with the assistance of the Brockton Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol and our own Civil Defense Personnel. (The Civil Air Patrol uses the Civil Defense quarters for their weekly meetings.) New lighting fixtures were installed and the walls and ceilings were repaired and repainted.

Our 1960 Ford Cruiser was pressed into service on a regular basis last winter to replace a disabled police cruiser and was used until the new cars were delivered. Due to the constant service and its age, this vehicle is now unreliable for

police duty and we have requested that when the Fire Chief receives a new vehicle, his present vehicle be transferred to Civil Defense to be used as an Auxiliary cruiser.

During the year, we had only three calls for the tanker. Two were for fires and one was to assist in pumping out a cellar. Since there was no place to pump the water, except into the street, the water was pumped into the tanker and hauled to a river.

Both of our lighting trucks are, at present, in very good condition thanks mainly to the members of the Auxiliary Fire Department who have spent many, many hours working on them. The International Van is now the "first line truck" while the Chevrolet is the back up unit. Due to its size, the Van performs many other functions at an emergency in addition to its prime function of providing lighting. Spare police equipment such as rain coats, boots, traffic gloves and straps, flares and hand lights are all carried in this vehicle. It contains a counter from which hot coffee and doughnuts, etc. can be served — and naturally, electricity to keep the coffee hot. There is also sufficient room in the vehicle for personnel to "thaw out" if the weather is especially cold and it carries blankets and a spare stretcher. We hope to add to its versatility in the future.

I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen for the complete cooperation they have shown this Department throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD S. WINSHIP, JR.,

Director of Civil Defense

Report of the Town Government Study Committee

The Study Committee has, as of this report, completed its work. During 1970 we have met to review and discuss again many of our findings obtained during the analysis of the Town Government that we conducted in 1969. It was the unanimous opinion of the committee that Easton would be now best served by the adoption of a Charter Commission to rewrite our Town By-Laws. We are now a town of over 12,000 people, and it is not realistic to feel that merely by adopting a few changes (such as we did at the last town meeting) that we have done all that is necessary to bring Easton's government fully up to date. It is only through study and revision of the Town Charter that, in our opinion, all necessary modernization can be accomplished.

Should we have elected town meeting members, rather than the present open town meeting? Should we have one Department of Public Works rather than the many departments we now have? Should we have a full time Town Engineering Department, rather than periodic consulting service? What town officials should be elected, and what should be appointed? What kind of an executive department do we want for the future? These questions, and many more, can only properly be handled by review and revision of our Town Charter.

We wish to thank all those people in town government and outside who gave so generously of their time to meet and discuss with us the town's problems and their ideas for future improvements. We wish to offer our help and records to the Charter Commission, if approved by the town, in continuing the work we have started. Easton has made a good first step in the two-year project just completed. However, only with the report of the Charter Commission can we feel that the complete job has been done.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. AMES, Chairman

BERNARD M. FARRELL, Vice-Chairman

AVERY L. WILLIAMS, Secretary

ARTHUR H. MOSHER

DONALD E. ANDERSON

JOHN H. WALSH, JR.

JAMES H. HEALEY

Report of the Easton Conservation Commission

In 1970, much of the Easton Conservation Commission's time was spent on concerns with water in Easton. There are three basic areas of concern:

High velocity run-off of water is a problem that increases each year as land is developed. Run-off created by roof areas and hard surface road and driveway areas in large developments endangers all people downstream and creates a strain on Easton's dams. It also causes many local flooding problems if sub-divisions are not properly designed. The Conservation Commission feels that the problems created by run-off should be anticipated and sub-divisions should be designed to handle excess water in a manner that will not create local or down-stream flooding conditions.

Water on or near the surface of the land is the second area of concern. The Soil Survey completed in 1969 by the Bristol Conservation District shows that 36% of Easton's land area is wet six to nine months of the year or more; another 17% has severe limitations for leaching. This means that 53% of the land area in Easton is basically unsuitable for building because of poor leaching capabilities of the soil. Commission members feel that this fact should be a major consideration in all land use and planning that occurs in Easton. It would be unreasonable to try to protect 53% of the town in open space, but the Commission makes these strong recommendations:

a) The 36% of the land area that is wet six to nine months of the year or more should be restricted from building. These areas should become wetland zones. Wherever possible they should be protected further by acquisition of title or conservation restrictions.

b) The other 17% of the town with severe limitations for leaching must be developed with extreme care. Complete engineering studies should be required of builders to be sure proper leaching fields are designed for the land on which they will be located. Then, equally important, the engineering reports must be followed and regulations enforced by the town.

The Commission's concern with wetlands in Easton was reflected in attendance at Hatch Act hearings throughout the year. Selectmen have been very cooperative about accepting the Commission's recommendations for the development of these areas of poor soil. The Board of Health has also shown greatly increased concern in 1970. The Conservation Commission and the Board of Health are now working closely to assure careful development of land with poor soil.

The third area of concern is Easton's water supply. Two aquifers supply Easton's town water. One is located behind the Clock Farm off Route 138. Two wells are pumping from this aquifer now, and the Water Department is in the process of acquiring land for a third well in that aquifer. The other aquifer is located in the Canoe River area, in the southwest corner of the town. At both Town Meetings last year, in March and October, there were articles to rezone this area from a residential zone to an industrial zone. The Commission took a strong stand against the re-zoning, and it was defeated both times. The Commission then requested the Selectmen to have an engineering study done to determine the exact extent of the aquifers and make recommendations for the best way to protect them for the future.

Protection of the wetlands and water supply was the basis for the Natural Resource-Open Space Plan submitted by the Conservation Commission in January, 1970 to the Department of Natural Resources. This plan was accepted as meeting the requirements of the Self-Help Program, thus making Easton eligible to receive 50% reimbursement for purchase of conservation lands.

Conservation Commission articles in the March 1970 Warrant included the addition of an eleven acre parcel of land to Wheaton Farm. The parcel was of unknown ownership, and was taken by eminent domain to clear the title. Another article sponsored by the Commission established a basic billboard control by-law for Easton. Easton was the only community in Massachusetts to pass a billboard control by-law in 1970. An award was accepted on behalf of the town from the Massachusetts Roadside Council for leadership in this area.

In other activities, the Commission had meetings with the West Bridgewater and Pembroke Conservation Commissions; attended seminars conducted by the Massachusetts

Association of Conservation Commissions and the Department of Natural Resources; made conservation awards jointly with the Natural Resources Trust of Easton at the Science Fairs at both the Junior High School and the Oliver Ames High School. At the request of the Planning Board, the Commission, with the help of Alex Pires, Francis McMenamy, Forrest Straight and Alice McCarthy, has prepared a complete sign control by-law for the March 1971 Town Meeting.

Commission members were disappointed in 1970 when the bill in the Massachusetts Legislature to protect certain inland wetland areas, including the Hockomock Swamp, was not passed. The bill has been re-introduced this year as S780. It would appropriate \$10,000,000 for the Fish and Game Department to acquire these wetland areas, with the Hockomock receiving very high priority. Commission members hope the townspeople will actively support this bill.

Easton conservation lands were extensively used in 1970. Girl Scouts and Boys Scouts camped in Picker Field and Wheaton Farm; many townspeople used these areas for walking, riding and fishing; the Natural Resources Trust of Easton, Inc., used the barn at Wheaton Farm as the base for their six week Natural History Day Camp during the summer.

In the Town Forest, the final bound was set to complete the surveying of the Forest. In the early part of the year the Tree Department and the Highway Department did extensive clearing work, greatly improving the area. In the spring, Webelo Scouts under the direction of Allan Watts planted one thousand trees.

The resignation of Alice McCarthy from the Conservation Commission was very regretfully accepted. Alice served on the Commission from its inception in 1961 until March, 1970. She is a very able and dedicated conservationist.

The Commission extends thanks to all town boards for their cooperation in 1970, and especially to the Highway and Tree Departments, who have always been ready to help us.

Respectfully submitted,

Easton Conservation Commission

JOHN E. GRANT, Chairman

EVELYN M. WHITE

CLIFFORD G. GRANT

ALLAN E. WATTS

CHARLES C. WILLIS

Town Forest Committee

ALLAN E. WATTS, Chairman

JOSEPH G. CARDOZA

CHARLES C. WILLIS

Report of the Inspector of Milk

During 1970 samples of milk were collected from local and town dealers who sell milk in Easton. These samples were tested for percentage of butterfat, total solids, sediment and plated for bacterial count. Samples of milk were also collected from local stores and school cafeterias and given similar tests.

The local farms on which milk was produced and retailed in Easton were inspected for conditions of the herd, barn, milk room, refrigeration and condition of utensile.

Licenses issued to stores for the sale of oleomargarine numbered eight, milk and cream licenses for vehicles numbered thirteen and store licenses for the sale of milk and cream numbered twenty-four.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. TUFTS,
Milk Inspector

Report of the State Audit

June 10, 1970

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Arthur H. Tufts, Chairman
Easton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Easton for the period from November 8, 1967 to January 31, 1970, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. William Schwartz, Assistant Chief of Bureau.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON,
Director of Accounts

Mr. Arthur H. MacKinnon
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Boston, Massachusetts

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Easton for the period from November 8, 1967, the date of the previous examination, to January 31, 1970, and submit the following report thereon:

The records of financial transactions of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town, or committing bills for collection, were examined and compared with the books of the town treasurer and with the reports and records on file in the town accountant's office.

The town accountant's ledger accounts were analyzed, the recorded receipts and payments being compared with the treasurer's books. The recorded appropriations, loan authorizations, and transfers were checked with the town clerk's records of town meeting proceedings, while the reserve fund transfers were compared with the authorizations of the finance committee.

The necessary adjustments resulting from the audit were made, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on December 31, 1969.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts were compared with the records in the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the payments were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds and with the town accountant's records.

The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on January 31, 1970 was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements certified by the banks of deposit, by actual count of the cash in the office, and by verification of the United States treasury bills held for safekeeping by the depository.

The recorded payments of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities and coupons on file. The coupons outstanding on January 31, 1970 were listed and reconciled with statements certified by the banks of deposit.

The securities and saving bank books representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the selectmen, the town treasurer, and the trustees were examined and listed, the income being proved and all transactions and balances being verified.

The records of tax titles and tax possessions held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts added to the tax title account were compared with the collector's records. The reported redemptions were checked with the receipts as recorded on the treasurer's books, the foreclosures were verified, and the tax titles and tax possessions on hand were listed, proved with the town accountant's ledger controls, and checked with the records at the Registry of Deeds.

The employees' cards for payroll deductions on account of Federal and State taxes, the county retirement system, and group insurance were examined and checked.

The books and accounts of the town collector were examined and checked in detail. The taxes, excise, and assessments outstanding according to the previous examination, as

well as all subsequent commitment lists, were audited and checked with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The payments to the treasurer were verified, the recorded abatements were checked with the assessors' records, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the controlling ledger accounts.

The records of departmental and water accounts receivable were examined and checked. The commitments were proved, the payments to the treasurer were compared with the treasurer's cash book, the abatements were checked with the records in the departments authorized to grant them, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

Verification of the outstanding tax, excise, assessment, departmental, and water accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The records of deferred assessments were examined, the payments in advance were checked with the treasurer's recorded receipts, the amounts added to taxes were verified, and the apportionments due in future years or suspended were listed and proved with the town accountant's ledger accounts.

The town clerk's financial records were examined and checked in detail. The recorded receipts on account of dog and sporting licenses issued, as well as from the collection of miscellaneous fees, were audited, and the payments to the town treasurer and to the State were verified.

The surety bonds on file for the several town officials required by law to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of receipts of the board of selectmen and the sealer of weights and measures, as well as of the police, fire, building, health, welfare, and school departments, and of all other departments collecting money for the town, were examined and checked. The payments to the treasurer were verified, and the cash on hand in the several departments, including petty cash advances, was proved by actual count.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing reconciliations of the treasurer's

and the town collector's cash, summaries of the tax, excise, assessment, tax title, tax possession, departmental, and water accounts, as well as schedules showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

I wish to express appreciation, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, for the cooperation received from all town officials during the progress of the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ,
Assistant Chief of Bureau

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Report of the Board of Health

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM PERMITS:

SECTION 1. In order for the Board of Health to take action on an application for a permit for the construction of a sewage disposal system, it is necessary that certain data and plans be furnished by the applicant with the completed application forms. The applicant must take the following steps

1. Secure the services of a registered engineer qualified in matters of sewage disposal, who will make the necessary soil tests and prepare the design for the proposed sewage disposal.
2. Submit with the application form, in duplicate, the prepared plans of the designing engineer which must include all of the data requested in Section 2 of these instructions. A defined bench mark used by the engineer shall be shown on the plans along with all other pertinent data and shall be Town Datum (USCGS MSL Datum of 1929) whenever possible. Three additional copies of the lot layout plan must be filed on the same date at the office of the building inspector for the use of the building inspector, the highway department and the water department.
3. When the application has been acted on, the applicant will be notified and if approved, one copy of the application and accompanying data will be returned to the applicant along with the permit form.
4. The Board of Health will review all plans submitted and take whatever time necessary to ascertain the compliance with these regulations and issuance of permits. The board will act upon all applications before it and at each regular meeting and inform the applicant in writing. Applications which are not complete in all respects will be returned to the applicant for further study. The applicant will be required to supply any labor equipment and any further information the Board may require. If further study by the Board or its engineer is required there is no implied approval.

5. When the construction of the disposal system has been completed except for backfilling, the Board of Health is to be notified so that a final inspection may be made. Final approval and Certificate of Compliance will not be granted until the designing engineer has inspected the completed work, certified that his design has been basically complied with, and provide as installed a copy of plan referred to in Section 2 (a).

SECTION 2. Information for guidance for the designing engineer:

The plans and specifications must contain the following information:

- a. Plan of lot, minimum scale 1"-40', showing offsets and location of existing or proposed building or house and garage, layout of a sewage disposal system, location of water line, driveways, foundation drain (where needed) and ties to foundation of manholes and distribution box. Location of all watercourses, including streams, ponds, open and subsurface drains located, bordering on or running through the property. The plan must list correct pertinent elevations, including elevation of road crown and gutter, cellar floor, top of foundation, garage floor, and elevation schedule for sewage disposal system, including invert elevations at house foundation, entrance to septic tank, entrance distribution box, beginning of each pipeline. The garage floor to be at least 12", and top of concrete foundation to be at least 24" above centerline of road. The latter may be waived upon request and the furnishing of satisfactory evidence that the requirement is unnecessary.

Accompanying this schedule, the proposed final ground surface grade for each of the points along the disposal system shall be shown insofar as possible.

Sufficient additional elevations must be shown, including final grades at each of the four corners of the building to indicate clearly how the surface drainage on the property is to be handled.

The stone used in the disposal field or trenches shall consist of washed crushed stone or washed gravel stone and shall be free from iron fines and dust in place. It shall extend the full width of the trench or bed and shall not be less than 12 inches deep beneath the bottom of the distribution pipes. The stone shall be covered with at least a 4" layer of

washed crushed stone or washed gravel stone ranging from $\frac{1}{8}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ of an inch in size and free from iron fines and dust in place.

b. Two test holes must be excavated to a depth of not less than seven feet to determine the nature of the subsoil, presence of ledge, ground water, etc. The results must be shown on plan. A percolation test must be made at the proposed elevation of the bottom of the disposal field trenches, in the area in which the field is to be located. This must be shown on the engineer's plan. Only one perc test is required for uniform soil stratigraphy. An allowance must be made for a minimum of four feet between the maximum ground water elevation and the bottom of the disposal field. All percolation tests and final inspections by the designing engineer shall be performed in the presence of a representative of the approving authority.

c. Septic tanks must be of concrete construction and of approved design with a minimum capacity of 1000 gallons. The distribution box for the disposal field system shall have sufficient outlets so that each line shall be connected separately to the distribution box. Two additional openings, plugged off, shall be provided to facilitate future extensions to the system.

d. Minimum area for leaching bed will be 1200 sq. ft. This can be provided by trench or bed type leaching area. Where percolation rate is less than 2 min. per inch in natural soil, 2 leaching or seepage pits of minimum total leach area of 600 sq. ft or as required may be used.

e. A separate disposal system for washing machine waste water is recommended—space available being considered. This additional system is to consist of a 6 ft. diameter x 6 ft. deep or equivalent leaching cesspool or septic tank of 500 gallon capacity with a minimum of fifty (50) lineal feet of effective leaching trench as prescribed, or whatever the Board of Health may deem necessary.

f. Absorption system shall be a minimum distance of:

100 ft. from a well

25 ft. from a dwelling

25 ft. from a property line

25 ft. from a street line

50 ft. from water courses, including streams, ponds, open and subsurface drains. Any changes must be by special variance.

Plan must be designed to drain the property satisfactorily and to prevent adverse storm water drainage conditions on adjoining property. Where necessary, drainage easements may be required along lot lines.

SECTION 3. Where situations are not specified.

Registered engineers are to use State Sanitary Code: Article XI for reference and in particular reference as follows:

REF. Section 2.15: Filled land must be inspected prior to filling and reinspected upon completion. All fill material shall be clean granular material. Fine sand cannot be used.

REF. Regulation 14.2: Test procedure must be strictly complied with and it is the decision of the board that any soil material with percolation test rate of 15 minutes or more, per inch, will be considered relatively impervious and unsuitable for on-site sewage leaching effluent disposal and construction will not be allowed until central sewage collection system is installed in adjacent roadway. Excavation of such impervious soils and replacement with clean gravel will be allowed. However, such system must have a 25 ft. perimeter of clean gravel beyond the leaching field's dimensions.

REF. REGULATION 2.6: We hold engineer responsible to see that his design is followed through and to see that work is done according to designed plan before Certificate of Compliance is stamped and signed.

REF. Regulation 2.8: We hold the registered engineer ethically bound and responsible to note and indicate any conditions or additional situations which he believes might adversely effect the operation of the sewage system or pose a threat of health hazard to the property.

ADOPTION: The above Regulation (including therein the title therefor) pursuant to all powers and authority of this Board is unanimously adopted by the Board of Health of the Town of Easton in meeting assembled this 10th day of December, 1970 to be effective on or after December 28, 1970 and shall before said date, be published in a newspaper circulated in this Town, and a copy thereof shall be deposited in the Office of the Town Clerk within (10) days after the effective date.

DONALD F. CRAIG
HERBERT L. EVERETT, M.D.
DOUGLAS N. KILLIAM

Board of Health

Report of the Town Accountant

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Town Accountant for the year ending December 31, 1970. This report will list all appropriations, expenditures, credits and balances. A Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1970 will be included listing all debit and credit balances on all open ledger accounts and a statement of Debt and Deferred Revenue Accounts.

Respectfully submitted,

S. GEORGE LOWNDES,
Town Accountant

Selectmen's Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,600.00
Arthur H. Tufts, Chairman	\$1,200.00	
James D. Mullen, Jr., Clerk	1,200.00	
Charles C. Willis	1,200.00	3,600.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Selectmen's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,100.00
Travel, Meetings and Investigations	1,100.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Selectmen's Office Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,030.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	127.61
Total Available	\$1,157.61
Dues and Memberships	\$165.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	247.40
Telephone	583.19
All Other	162.02
Unexpended Balance	.00

Selectmen's Engineering Surveys

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	872.00
Total Available	\$5,872.00
Engineering Surveys	5,872.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Administrative Assistant

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$12,000.00
Robert C. Turcotte	2,147.95
Unexpended Balance	\$9,852.05

Administrative Assistant Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$500.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	35.33
Total Available	\$535.33
Office Furniture and Fixtures	\$475.55
Travel and Investigations	59.78
Unexpended Balance	.00

Selectmen's Clerk

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,000.00
Belmira C. Paulino	5,000.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Selectmen's Clerk Overtime

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$500.00
Belmira C. Paulino	415.93
Unexpended Balance	\$84.07

Selectmen's Extra Clerical

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$240.00
Mary P. Connolly	240.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Town Office Payroll

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$6,215.00
Carl A. Lawson	6,215.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Town Office Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$7,100.00
Light	\$932.74	
Fuel	1,567.13	
Supplies	1,464.26	
Repairs	972.00	
Equipment	1,390.00	
Burglar Alarm—Service Charge	504.20	6,830.33
Unexpended Balance		\$269.67

Town Accountant's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$7,650.00
S. George Lowndes		7,650.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Accountant's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$600.00
Telephone	\$200.99	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	78.57	
All Other	263.98	543.54
Unexpended Balance		\$56.46

Town Accountant's Extra Clerk

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$100.00
Virginia R. Anderson		100.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Treasurer's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,800.00
Esther C. Anderson		3,800.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Treasurer's Clerks Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,600.00
Marion E. Nye	\$1,740.00	
Jean A. Shearing	1,860.00	3,600.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Treasurer's Extra Clerical

Appropriated March 16, 1970		1,300.00
Olive M. Anderson		1,300.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Treasurer's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,825.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	\$672.77	
Surety Bond	142.00	
All Other	2,007.36	2,822.13

Unexpended Balance		\$2.87
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Collector's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,100.00
Esther C. Anderson		3,100.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Collector's Clerks' Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$4,150.00
Marion E. Nye	\$2,000.00	
Jean A. Shearing	2,150.00	4,150.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Collector's Extra Clerical

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$1,400.00
Olive M. Anderson	\$979.77	
Laura Carlson	420.23	1,400.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Collector's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,500.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	\$949.83	
Surety Bond	268.00	
All Other	1,278.76	2,496.59

Unexpended Balance		\$3.41
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Assessor's Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,400.00
Willis G. Buck	\$800.00	
John A. Keach, Jr.	800.00	
Frederick J. Meade	800.00	2,400.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Assessor's Clerks' Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$11,445.00
A. Edna Cram	\$6,703.50	
Marion E. Murray	4,741.50	11,445.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Assessors' Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,650.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	\$869.44	
Telephone	162.01	
Travel and Transportation	445.90	
All Other	670.63	2,147.98
Unexpended Balance		\$502.02

Town Counsel's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,000.00
Martyn H. Lincoln		\$3,000.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Counsel's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$300.00
Expended		300.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Counsel's Legal Reserve

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$800.00
Expended		720.86
Unexpended Balance		\$79.14

Town Clerk's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,000.00
Esther C. Anderson		2,000.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Clerk's Assistant's Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,000.00
Marion E. Nye	\$1,260.40	
Jean A. Shearing	740.00	2,000.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Clerk's Extra Clerical

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$300.00
Oliver M. Anderson		300.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Town Clerk's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$1,335.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	\$276.51	
Surety Bonds	10.00	
Telephone	264.77	
All Other	781.70	1,332.98
Unexpended Balance		\$2.02

Election Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$5,700.00
Expended		5,329.05
Unexpended Balance		\$370.95

Registrar's Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$750.00
Michael J. Canty	\$125.00	
Paul Canty	78.13	
Albert F. Fleury	250.00	
Joseph E. Galvin	159.72	
James Starr	78.13	690.98
Unexpended Balance		\$59.02

Registrar's Clerk

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$300.00
Esther C. Anderson		300.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Registrar's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,900.00
Expended		2,881.85
Unexpended Balance		\$18.15

Moderator's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$25.00
William E. Buchtmann		25.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Finance Committee Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$100.00
Expended		84.22
Unexpended Balance		\$15.78

Planning and Zoning Board Clerk's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$700.00
Marion E. Murray	700.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Planning and Zoning Board Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,000.00
Expended	705.51

Unexpended Balance	\$294.49
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Appeals Board Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$950.00
Expended	933.83

Unexpended Balance	\$16.17
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Mosley Record Safes—Town Office Building**Article #24, 1970**

Transferred from Insurance Reimbursement Acct.	\$3,778.00
Expended	3,778.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Repair Office Door Collectors and Treasurers Office**Article #67, 1970**

Transferred from Insurance Reimbursement Acct.	\$138.00
Expended	138.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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New Fire and Police Station Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$4,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	750.00

Total Available		\$4,750.00
Light and Power	\$2,002.95	
Fuel	2,446.39	
Repairs	191.85	4,641.19

Unexpended Balance	\$108.81
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Police Department Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$178,496.00
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	Regular	Overtime	Total
Joel Johnson	\$12,500.00	\$225.00LP 480.70A 150.00B	\$13,355.70

	Regular	Overtime	Total
Walter Healey	10,200.00	75.00LP	
		1,189.54	11,464.54
Kenneth Hurley	10,200.00	75.00LP	
		36.60	10,311.60
Ralph Peterson	10,200.00	125.00LP	
		6.85	10,331.85
George Pierson	9,200.00	225.00LP	
		774.28	10,199.28
Frederick Anderson	9,200.00	125.00LP	
		252.93	9,577.93
Warren Dexter	9,200.00	25.00LP	
		622.18	9,847.18
Joseph Stepanski	9,200.00	2,127.64	11,327.64
Leonard Nordbeck	9,200.00	663.56	
		400.00C	10,263.56
Phillip Pierce	9,200.00	1,361.55	10,561.55
Gene Blood	9,129.52	118.23	9,247.75
Edward Cram, Jr.	9,200.00	175.02	9,375.02
Joseph Fuller	8,500.00	1,729.14	10,229.14
Gerald Randall	6,812.33	220.65	7,032.98
Stanley Bates, Jr.	6,731.90	896.34	7,628.24
Ralph Harris	6,812.33	103.67	6,916.00
Anthony Froio	6,812.33	376.76	7,189.09
Charles Iwaskiewicz	20.00		20.00
Alliston Ray	20.00		20.00
Clifton Wohlen	20.00		20.00
Beverly Phillips	213.75		213.75
Ralph Nystrom	70.00		70.00
Sgt. John R. Silva—			
Special Service	35.00		35.00
Court Officers	15.00		15.00
Taunton Police Dept.—			
Lock-up Fees	27.00		27.00
Manuel Paulino—			
Custodial Services	1,040.00		1,040.00
			\$166,319.80
Unexpended Balance			\$12,176.20

A—Holiday Payment Acct.—General Laws

B—Keeper of Lock-up

C—Safety Officer

LP—Longevity Payment

Police Department Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$20,159.00
Transferred from Insurance Reimbursement Acct.	2,900.00

Total Available		\$23,059.00
Gas and Oil	\$3,363.99	
Auto Repairs and Supplies	2,374.23	
Telephone	1,105.93	
Computer Service	797.63	
Radar Equipment	3,685.00	
Equipment Repairs	671.79	
Equipment Supplies	1,748.94	
Building and Grounds	202.51	
Uniforms	5,178.98	
All Other	1,022.17	
In Lieu of Trade-In of Demolished Cruiser	2,600.00	
Radio Equip. for Replace. Cruiser	300.00	23,051.17
		\$7.83

New Police Cruisers—Art. #17

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,533.00
Mitrano Chevrolet	5,533.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Police Out-of-State Travel

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$300.00
Expended	300.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Court Appearances

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	102.25

Total Available		\$5,102.25
Joel Johnson	\$2,606.59	
Walter Healey	72.73	
Kenneth Hurley	66.15	
Ralph Peterson	194.00	
Frederick Anderson	129.28	
Stanley Bates	155.68	
Gene Blood	19.89	

Edward Cram	394.99	
Warren Dexter	173.01	
Anthony Frolo	144.38	
Joseph Fuller	733.16	
Ralph Harris	142.52	
Leonard Nordbeck	25.03	
Phillip Pierce	99.62	
Gerald Randall	75.60	
Joseph Stepanski	69.62	5,102.25

Unexpended Balance

.00

Fire Department Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970			\$131,266.00
	Regular	Overtime	Total
Raymond M. Buck	\$10,500.00	\$402.20A	\$10,902.20
C. Robert Mitchell	10,500.00	1,010.46	11,010.46
Robert Stone	9,000.00	515.64	9,515.64
John A. Dupont, Jr.	8,600.00	420.91	9,020.91
Norman McNeill	8,600.00	624.97	9,224.97
John Meade	8,600.00	424.59	9,024.59
John L. Willis	8,600.00	963.52	9,563.52
John A. Stupak	8,600.00	322.18	8,922.18
David W. Brown	8,127.22	1,149.52	9,276.74
John F. Webster	8,127.22	401.41	8,528.63
James K. Burns	8,127.22	577.56	8,704.78
Phillip E. Blye	8,127.22	681.60	8,808.82
Kenneth R. Hollis		224.59	224.59
Paul C. Berry		244.41	244.41
John D. Melin		126.07	126.07
Paul E. Brophy		8.30	8.30
Charles Allen	331.38		331.38
Richard Armstrong	780.50		780.50
Charles Barboza	725.75		725.75
Eugene Berry	196.63		196.63
David Betzer	597.21		597.21
Edward Buck	172.38		172.38
Alfred Cabral	788.75		788.75
Frank Carlson	570.13		570.13
John Carlson	246.13		246.13
Roland Carlson	183.82		183.82
Thomas Carlson	5.50		5.50
Elmer Cole	585.25		585.25
Oscar Conceison	687.50		687.50
Edward Cruickshank	556.38		556.38

	Regular	Overtime	Total
Joseph Fuller	115.51		115.51
Albert Gadd	4.13		4.13
John F. Graca	6.88		6.88
Michael Graca	4.13		4.13
Carl Hanson	557.75		557.75
Robert Howard	653.13		653.13
Edward Jacobson	166.38		166.38
Bernard LaFerriere	263.75		263.75
Robert Maliff	826.50		826.50
Kenneth Norton	609.38		609.38
David Rohdin	662.25		662.25
Frank Sandstrom	155.38		155.38
Donald Smith	297.00		297.00
Raymond Smith	155.38		155.38
Albin Swanson	77.00		77.00
Alfred Turnbull	5.50		5.50
Arthur Woodworth	538.50		538.50
			\$124,632.67

Fire Alarm

John A. Dupont, Jr.		\$29.28
Norman McNeill		113.04
William Flynn		530.00
Donald Hill		546.00
Stephen F. Nolan, Jr.		311.50
		\$1,529.82
Total Expended		
		\$126,162.49
Unexpended Balance		\$5,142.01

A—Holiday Credit**Permanent Firefighters—Art. #18—1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970			\$21,000.00
	Regular	Overtime	Total
Paul C. Berry	\$4,453.00	\$265.06	\$4,718.06
Paul E. Brophy	2,365.50	103.76	2,469.26
Kenneth R. Hollis	4,577.50	181.50	4,759.00
John D. Melin	4,041.30	651.06	4,692.36
David W. Brown		183.00	183.00
James K. Burns		102.48	102.48
Phillip E. Blye		123.96	123.96
			\$17,048.12
Unexpended Balance			\$3,951.88

Fire Department Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$15,305.00
Alarm, Maintenance	\$3,151.48	
Supplies	3,287.98	
Hose	183.00	
Gas and Oil	1,382.53	
Equipment Repairs	2,501.68	
Fuel	523.35	
Light and Power	401.36	
Building Repairs	572.81	
Stationery, Printing and Postage	91.46	
Telephone	999.55	
Uniforms	1,554.90	
All Other	409.05	15,059.15
Unexpended Balance		\$245.85

Fire Out of State Travel

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$200.00
Expended		162.30
Unexpended Balance		\$37.70

New Ladder Truck—Art. #14—1968

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$54.30
Expended		54.30
Unexpended Balance		.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$400.00
Edward R. Hogan	\$55.55	
Barry Woodworth	308.00	363.55
Unexpended Balance		\$36.45

Sealers of Weights and Measures Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$200.00
Expended		200.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Gas Inspector's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$700.00
Robert L. Tufts		700.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

Gas Inspector's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$400.00
Expended	400.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Building Inspector's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,650.00
Alexander J. Pires	1,650.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Assistant Building Inspectors' Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,100.00
Edward Cruickshank	\$1,017.32
Waldo Cruickshank	70.80
Unexpended Balance	1,088.12
	\$11.88

Building Inspectors' Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,250.00
Expended	1,238.43
Unexpended Balance	\$11.57

Wiring Inspector's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,000.00
Albert M. Greiner	1,000.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Wiring Inspector's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$300.00
Expended	300.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Dog Officers' Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$450.00
Roland W. Carlson	\$321.25
Edward J. Malley	128.75
Unexpended Balance	450.00
	.00

Care of Dogs

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$800.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	300.00
Total Available	\$1,100.00
Expended	1,084.00
Unexpended Balance	\$16.00

Moth Department Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,399.67
Daniel Amorim	\$681.60	
Joseph Cardoza	615.88	
Ronald Macuch	562.16	
Kenneth Martin	518.56	2,378.20
Unexpended Balance		\$21.47

Moth Department Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$1,550.00
Gas and Oil	\$41.43	
Equipment and Repair	149.33	
Insecticides	1,287.09	
All Other	33.57	1,511.42
Unexpended Balance		\$38.58

Tree Department Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$18,250.00
Daniel Amorim	\$5,319.26	
Joseph Cardoza	4,634.85	
Ronald Macuch	1,434.13	
Kenneth Martin	3,754.36	
Joseph Howard	2,902.53	18,045.13
Unexpended Balance		\$204.87

Tree Department Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,060.00
Gas and Oil	\$938.30	
Equipment Repair	1,922.69	
All Other	133.26	2,994.25
Unexpended Balance		\$65.75

Tree Department Chipper—Art. #18—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$3,185.00
Abbott Spray and Farm Equipment Company		3,185.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Dutch Elm Control—Art. #7—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$9,470.00
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Daniel Amorim	\$2,414.67	
Joseph Cardoza	2,307.84	
Ronald Macuch	1,795.38	
Kenneth Martin	1,687.24	
Joseph Howard	225.60	
Baird and McGuire	462.00	
Consolidated Utility Equip. Corp.	52.75	
Hixon Tree Company, Inc.	400.00	9,345.48

Unexpended Balance		\$124.52
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New Trees

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$400.00
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Littlefield Wyman Nurseries	\$167.50	
Red Barn Nursery	231.00	398.50

Unexpended Balance		\$1.50
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Forest Warden's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$300.00
Raymond M. Buck		300.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Civil Defense Director's Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$450.00
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Donald S. Winship	\$300.00	
Ralph C. Nystrom	150.00	450.00

Unexpended Balance		.00
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Civil Defense Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$2,750.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund		500.00

Total Available		\$3,250.00
Expended		3,223.63

Unexpended Balance		\$26.37
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Transfer of Excess Government Equipment

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$255.62
Expended	250.80

Unexpended Balance	\$4.82
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Conservation Commission

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$8,571.58
Appropriated March 16, 1970	1,000.00

Total Available	\$9,571.58
Transferred to Conservation Fund	\$8,000.00
Expended	773.64

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$797.94
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Williams Lot—Conservation—Art. #66—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$300.00
Expended	147.96

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$152.04
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Board of Health Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$900.00
Donald F. Craig	\$300.00
Herbert L. Everett	300.00
Douglas N. Kellam	175.00
Robert H. Rollins	100.00

Unexpended Balance	\$25.00
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Health Department Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$7,588.25
William Tufts, Milk Inspector	\$300.00
George Sawyer, Plumbing Inspector	600.00
Joseph Bradley, Town Dump Att.	3,716.00
Raymond Parenteau, Town Dump Att.	2,934.00

Unexpended Balance	\$38.25
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Health Department Expenses

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$34,250.76
Medical Attention	\$107.00
Hospital Board and Treatment	3,248.04
Garbage Collection	24,265.77
Inspection of Septic Tanks	2,572.00

Inspection of Milk	448.00	
Milk Inspector's Expense	274.26	
Inspections by Board	202.00	
All Other	985.13	32,102.20
Unexpended Balance		\$2,148.56

Inspector of Animals Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$350.00
William H. Tufts	350.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Inspector of Animals Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$300.00
Expended	.00

Unexpended Balance	\$300.00
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Hire of Nurses

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$8,000.00
Expended	8,000.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Highway Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$98,946.00
Regular Overtime	1,800.00
Snow and Ice Overtime	8,800.00
Transferred from Ames Highway Fund to:	
Regular Salaries	14,181.08
Snow and Ice Overtime	266.34
Transferred from Reserve Fund to:	
Regular Overtime	333.61

Total Available	\$124,327.03
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Matthew Bell	\$6,377.56
Joseph O'Brien	4,973.30
Charles Bradley	7,121.07
Francis Brophy	7,456.71
Fred Reynolds	9,492.41
William Ralph	1,360.07
Benjamin Carfarani	2,082.89
Francis Madan	1,264.18
Alfred Jermolovich	8,340.86
Russell Jones	8,084.16

Stanley Jones	6,887.24	
Ronald Hollis	36.27	
Shawn Fitzgerald	60.80	
Edward McNally	5,929.75	
Dennis Groom	1,828.67	
Philip Wilde	6,437.52	
Clifford Grant	933.70	
Ronald Wood	895.14	
George Caney	7,709.90	
Richard Buckley	8,162.33	
Robert Fitton	833.16	
Richard Meehan	850.25	
Philip Kent	982.30	
Laurence Anderson	2,047.42	
Leon Cushman	6,571.64	
William Holmes	11.61	
Daniel Amorim	339.10	
James Azevedo	21.00	
David Betzer	2,063.61	
Joseph Cardoza	340.48	
John Carlson	97.34	
Edward Cruickshank	1,544.08	
Richard Gill	78.48	
Joseph Howard	269.21	
Robert Howard	11.45	
Winslow MacDonald	811.54	
Douglas Martin	62.03	
Alexander Pires, Jr.	212.24	
Lawrence Bagdon	2,646.28	
Paul Burns	1,995.11	
Philip Comstock	439.57	
Paul DeCouto	346.97	
Warren Hefferman	1,138.50	
Ronald Macuch	478.38	
Harding Reynolds	4,154.46	
Richard Sullivan	546.29	124,327.03

Unexpended Balance		.00
Analysis of Highway Salaries and Wages:		
Regular Time	\$113,127.08	
Regular Overtime	2,133.61	
Snow and Ice Overtime	9,066.34	
Total	\$124,327.03	

Ames Highway Fund Income

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1970	\$1,457.72
Income and Adjustments	60,386.08

Total Available	\$61,843.80
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Regular Wages	\$14,181.08	
Snow and Ice Overtime	266.34	
Snow and Ice Expense	8,716.20	
Highway Expense	38,680.08	61,843.70

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$.10
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Highway Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$9,825.00
Transferred from Ames Highway Fund	38,680.08

Total Available	\$48,505.08
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Superintendent's Expense	\$75.00	
Telephone and Administration	722.35	
Garage Maintenance	571.08	
Garage Light and Power	456.11	
Garage Fuel	577.29	
Gas and Oil	3,585.66	
Stone and Gravel	5,237.07	
Motorized Equipment Repairs	8,656.99	
Road Machinery and Equipment	2,549.46	
Cement, Lumber and Paint	1,084.69	
Shop Equipment and Maintenance	2,167.00	
Tires	1,788.60	
Tarvia	10,176.17	
Hired Equipment	664.00	
Sidewalks	820.00	
Cemeteries and Playgrounds	62.50	
Dump Maintenance	2,304.00	
Traffic Lights Power	530.17	
Lines	196.10	
Signs	2,383.55	
Surveys	633.00	
Drainage	2,740.10	
All Other	508.19	48,489.08

Unexpended Balance	\$16.00
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Chapter 90—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$7,000.00
B. A. Simeone, Inc.	7,000.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Plow Cemeteries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$100.00
Expended	100.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Highway Snow and Ice Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1971	\$20,000.00
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Transferred From:

Reserve Fund	\$1,794.27	
Ames Highway Fund	8,716.20	10,510.47

Total Available		\$30,510.47
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Equipment and Repairs	\$5,375.28	
Hired Equipment	8,195.09	
Salt and Sand	15,350.60	
Gasoline	1,015.21	
All Other	574.29	30,510.47

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Richard Southworth—Corner Store**Article #16—10/26/70**

Transferred from Available Funds	\$30.54
Expended	30.54

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Fred W. Camarra—Article #17**10/26/70**

Transferred from Available Funds	\$250.00
Expended	250.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Street Lighting

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$24,500.00
Expended	22,422.60

Unexpended Balance	\$2,077.40
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Drainage Sheridan Street—Art. #12—1968

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$200.52
Expended	.00

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$200.52
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Storm and Flood Damage—Art. #5—1968

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$956.75
Expended	956.75

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Cab and Chassis—Highway Dept.—Art. #11—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,299.00
Mitrano Chevrolet	5,299.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Sander—Highway Dept.—Art. #12—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$3,295.00
Atlantic Equipment Company	3,295.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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**Dump Truck with Plow—Highway Dept.
Art. #13—1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,195.00
Tanner Bros. Ford Sales	5,195.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Highway Speed Control Signs—Art. #15—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,451.30
Atlantic Equipment Company	1,451.30

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Queset Brook Fence—Art. #16—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$815.00
Superior Fence Company	815.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Foundry Street Drain—Art. #21—1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,830.40
Expended	1,830.40

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Drainage Structures and Channel Improvements**Article #1—1969**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$17,368.25
Sutton Corporation	17,368.25

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Veterans Agent's Salary

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,965.00
Richard J. Kent	1,965.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Veterans Agent's Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$750.00
Expended	745.35

Unexpended Balance	\$4.65
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Veteran's Benefits

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$20,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	5,700.00
Transferred from Available Funds Oct. 26, 1970	7,000.00

Total Available	\$32,700.00
Expended	32,669.31

Unexpended Balance	\$30.69
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School Department Salaries and Wages

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$1,963,757.42
Transferred from Oakes Ames Fund	9,856.00
Transferred from Oliver Ames Fund	35,215.44
Transferred from Title I 89-10	16,696.85
Transferred from Public Law 90-576	2,977.00

Total Available	\$2,028,502.71
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Teachers

Phillip H. Hallowell	\$22,093.44
John T. Farrington	17,092.28
Julian S. Preuss	17,592.29
W. Norman Pulaski	10,937.01
Malcolm Allen	10,649.15
Frances R. Andrus	10,800.98
Lois Barnes	7,125.64
James E. Bougas	8,498.80

George Brodie, Jr.	7,112.58
Cheryl J. Bromley	6,818.42
Vincent J. Boccalini	3,053.07
Bradford S. Chase	9,856.71
David M. Cleary	9,497.54
Helen L. Doherty	13,078.93
James Elson	8,686.08
Alan Emerson	7,954.14
Gloria Ferrandino	9,555.29
Barbara Folley	4,443.93
Francis D. Garcea	8,686.08
JoAnne K. Grundberg	7,760.36
Beverly A. Hanna	8,312.07
William D. Hardin	13,126.78
Donald B. Harrison	9,976.43
Eero R. Helin	12,888.58
Paul H. Hughes	10,915.22
John C. Hurley	6,818.42
Francis V. Ialenti	9,778.65
Edward F. Lemish	9,804.35
John I. Lowndes	9,379.32
Vincent Mack	7,625.64
Joanne M. Meade	11,627.92
Gwendolyn N. Metcalf	10,649.15
Valentine P. Muscato	15,327.92
William F. Nixon	14,200.99
Ruth G. O'Connell	10,849.15
Duncan B. Oliver	10,820.01
Bruce A. Palombo	7,954.14
Robert Pratt	7,954.14
Ronald F. Reynolds	3,950.97
Suzanne Rivard	10,881.22
Gardner P. Sherman	13,421.21
Virginia H. Shipp	8,102.64
Susan Shulga	10,931.79
Birute T. Silvia	13,431.41
Willis K. Smith	13,308.70
Paul E. Sullivan	13,397.22
Wanda Tamulis	8,323.35
Marguerite J. Turcotte	2,857.14
Mary B. Tracy	9,658.15
Stephen Trombly	8,198.80
William J. Waas	7,671.85
Phyllis L. Webber	10,649.15

Edward Weiner	5,975.97
Robert J. Wooster	12,618.36
Jean Balboni	2,457.72
Joan Veenpere	2,857.14
George Costa	3,720.78
Carl Wagner	4,061.43
Frank Jardin	5,041.08
M. David Varella	15,838.00
J. John Buckley	13,323.93
Mary K. Arnberg	7,954.14
Patricia A. Bailey	7,976.84
Kenneth Brooks	6,818.42
Janet M. Cash	6,818.42
Joseph V. Casieri	7,498.78
Janice Cress	9,914.43
Dale E. Erickson	6,818.42
Sarah L. Gallahue	10,412.07
Richard Gothage	2,857.14
Robert V. Natusch	1,911.56
Linda J. Greene	9,835.08
Joyce Snyder	2,457.72
Robert J. Kass	6,818.42
William P. Keach	7,498.78
Paul Keyes	8,953.36
Elmer I. G. Larson, Jr.	10,062.07
Gerard J. Linehan	7,003.07
Claudette E. Lucier	8,485.14
Bradford Morse	7,168.51
Patsy-Ann O'Boy	7,748.74
Shirley Peterson	2,597.72
Timothy Rioux	12,390.22
Roberta Delegard	1,249.98
David M. Ryan	8,686.08
Richard W. Sanders, Jr.	6,934.07
Linda Simonson	2,457.72
Shirley Tufts	10,849.15
Doris Walsh	7,996.81
Susan L. Warren	11,395.85
Janet Neilson	865.35
Olive H. Gurney	15,506.49
Jean C. Barry	9,318.28
Mary M. Buckley	10,425.21
Jane A. Connelly	10,649.15
Elaine F. Bogdanchik	7,501.00

Viola N. Geddes	11,149.15
Rosemary Hanlon	7,125.64
E. Constance Heath	9,485.08
Helen C. Hooker	10,649.20
Gail E. Kass	6,818.42
Marilyn C. Leedberg	7,954.14
Lorraine P. Legare	9,912.07
Marie A. Levenson	7,125.64
Deborah A. Cremin	2,457.72
Elizabeth A. Smith	8,312.07
Grace Clark	2,457.72
Doris W. Leach	10,901.55
Edith M. White	7,498.78
Rose F. Slavitz	10,607.01
Priscilla M. Hayward	9,485.08
Priscilla Leighton	10,649.15
Alden P. Randall	15,116.49
Mary P. Bisbee	9,076.72
Elouise G. Carlson	11,927.92
Adella Coe	4,239.85
Anna E. Coffee	10,649.15
Elizabeth A. Evans	9,429.48
Janice Ferreira	7,193.33
Sandra F. Garrett	7,125.64
Barbara W. Goldstein	11,249.15
Patricia Gutasukas	10,358.14
Rosemary E. Harley	8,686.08
Mary V. Harvey	10,690.56
Mary Louise Heath	10,649.15
Betty Jacobs	7,125.64
Martha C. Johnson	10,351.82
Jean M. Kent	8,812.07
Denise S. King	7,498.78
Eleanor T. Lewis	10,649.15
Nancy Newbert	15,146.21
Barbara Reis	2,577.72
David Rodriquenz	2,985.57
Frank Sahl	9,985.08
Karlene M. Smith	2,684.07
Ellen Harrison	2,457.72
Edith M. Bergstrom	11,323.93
Neil Mossman	15,116.49
Joan M. Chassey	11,627.92
Diana C. Crooks	9,984.99

Richard W. Hill	10,858.23
Gary Hilmer	5,911.02
Carol E. Kenney	10,649.15
Mary Meehan	3,119.85
Margaret E. Lynch	6,818.42
Ann Maluzkowicz	2,457.72
Irma Mayhew	9,485.08
Carol Ann Bromowski	2,457.72
Mary Lee Morgan	7,125.64
Doris H. Savard	10,649.15
Jeralyn J. Smith	7,498.78
Charlotte H. Stoughton	7,871.98
Linda Waitckunas	6,818.42
Joan B. White	10,481.48
D. Franklin Wishart	9,186.08
Eleanor Biechele	10,790.65
Velma R. Johnston	10,358.14
Jacqueline L. Swanson	11,323.93
Juanita E. Treadwell	9,576.72
Martha Ann Lundgren	2,457.72
Edna McGranachan	10,949.15
Lorna Paone	7,125.64
Susan Peluso	6,818.42
Douglas Anderson	2,857.14
Patricia A. Baker	9,576.72
Beatrice L. Clem	10,212.07
Patricia M. DeCoste	9,985.08
Alice DeCouto	3,657.14
Eileen Fitzgerald	12,797.13
Patricia C. Marcotte	8,512.07
Wilma B. Medeiros	8,220.45
John L. Schuller, Jr.	10,873.59
Judith A. Yankopoulos	9,786.08
Cynthia Martell	2,568.42
Anne Giardina	2,568.42
Richard J. Tellier	8,686.08
Evangeline Lovell	2,893.38
Sadie J. McGarry	2,549.76
Joan Ando	1,360.00
Marjory S. Bender	4,968.57
Frederick L. Bradford	7,401.63
Rita L. Cahill	5,425.65
Carol Cherney	4,250.00
Stephen T. Clay	4,250.00

Clyde A. Craig	9,276.79
Christopher England	5,854.40
Joseph P. Freitas	7,391.71
John E. Grant	4,968.57
Kenneth M. Hamilton	5,057.20
Marilyn Hrypka	4,250.00
Marianne A. LaCroix	1,478.10
Harriet Larson	5,192.22
Margaret J. MacArthur	4,136.14
Darlene McEnany	3,865.46
Barbara Obuchon	4,641.64
Janet O'Neill	520.02
Lydia Palmer	7,391.71
Herbert J. Rollins	8,518.94
Jeannette P. Smith	6,991.58
Peter L. Spataro	5,425.65
Allan Tompson	5,295.50
Nancy Zimmet	4,851.65
Richard Baker	20.00
Robert Bellacqua	20.00
Alan Bixby	240.00
Marcia Boyer	140.00
Peter Bradley	60.00
Anne L. Bromley	6,820.79
Alton Caldwell	20.00
Joan Camber	40.00
Lorraine Canty	80.00
Mildred Carlson	1,110.00
Veronica E. Carter	8,346.93
Geraldine Chisholm	810.00
Richard Copello	60.00
Jane Corsini	220.00
Nancy Crockett	20.00
Virginia Cruickshank	500.00
Doris Cullen	460.00
Richard Dailey	420.00
Lucille Dostoomian	20.00
Stanley Esikoff	40.00
Barbara Firing	40.00
Cheryl Friedman	1,040.00
Barbara Greenstein	20.00
John Gustafson	60.00
Edward Hands	40.00
Rachael Hardin	1,020.00

Leo Harlow	140.00	
Joan Hayward	20.00	
Kathryn Healey	1,020.00	
Martha Healey	20.00	
Timothy Jackson	160.00	
Stephen Judge	20.00	
Nancy Keith	420.00	
Barbara Kinsman	320.00	
Sylvia Kostecki	200.00	
Patricia Lane	1,020.00	
Raymond Lewis	500.00	
Anne Linehan	1,240.00	
Gail Maguire	240.00	
Mary Mahoney	500.00	
Frances Matheson	440.00	
Robert Maucione	669.30	
Ethel McKenney	140.00	
James Mitchell	180.00	
Mary Mullen	320.00	
Barbara O'Connell	600.00	
Barbara Ramondetta	100.00	
Mary Reardon	380.00	
Helena Reddy	440.00	
Deborah Rice	20.00	
Mary Elinor Richards	620.00	
Robert Richards	840.00	
Donna Ross	1,680.00	
Helen Selig	20.00	
Donna Shanahan	100.00	
Catherine Sholtanis	100.00	
Jane Skoog	1,400.00	
Vicent Spadea	40.00	
Sandra Spataro	60.00	
Susan Stewart	40.00	
Margie Topf	140.00	
Ronald Trinke	60.00	
Charles Vernon	20.00	
Suzanne Wallent	360.00	
John Walsh	20.00	
Ann Wittaker	40.00	
		\$1,686,733.81
Title I 89-10		
Evangeline Lovell	\$9,034.54	
Sadie J. McGarry	7,662.31	
		\$16,696.85

PL 90-576

John T. Farrington, Director	\$483.00	
Nancy Newbert, Psychologist	410.00	
Timothy Rioux, Counselor	416.50	
J. John Buckley, Media Spec.	166.50	
Gardner Sherman, Co-ordinator	473.00	
Malcolm Allen, Instructor	136.00	
Joseph Casieri, Instructor	652.00	
Vincent Mack, Instructor	192.00	
Joan Veenpere, Instructor	48.00	
		\$2,977.00

Evening School

Florence Farrell	\$75.00	
Clorinda Banks	210.00	
Gloria Stafford	829.50	
Eleanor Laurence	424.50	
Agnes Adams	424.50	
Marion Gibson	424.50	
Ronald Peterson	424.50	
Shirley Farrell	210.00	
Doris Johnson	424.50	
Eleanor Doherty	424.50	
Edna Fleming	424.50	
John Schuller	97.50	
Elaine Koski	354.50	
Norman Pulaski	665.00	
Marjorie Sellon	44.00	
Vincent Mack	430.00	
		\$5,887.00

Summer School — Oakes Ames Fund

Marjory S. Bender	\$550.00	
J. John Buckley	900.00	
Elouise Carlson	550.00	
Joan Chassey	550.00	
Beatrice Clem	550.00	
Christopher England	550.00	
Florence Farrell	200.00	
Donald Harrison	550.00	
Paul Hughes	528.00	
Marilyn Leedberg	550.00	
Evangeline Lovell	550.00	
Sadie McGarry	528.00	
Frank Sahl	550.00	

Peter L. Spataro	550.00	
Edward Spillane	550.00	
Ann Szynckowick	550.00	
Edith Troy	550.00	
Judith Yankopoulos	550.00	
		\$9,856.00

Miscellaneous School

Custodians:

Axel Dahl	\$7,608.01	
Peter Kalium	6,621.57	
Elmer I. G. Larson, Jr.	6,798.15	
Gerard McGranachan	7,298.06	
Rody Fitzgibbon	6,898.15	
Kenneth R. Fitton	6,070.90	
Hugo Lundgren	7,614.77	
Robert Wals	6,621.57	
Edgar Huber	6,621.57	
John F. Bell	6,621.57	
Avery Randall	6,648.93	
James Tully	7,232.71	
Francis LeRoy	5,858.69	
Walter T. Webster	7,344.21	
Laurence L. Gurney	7,398.15	
Sydney Shearing	6,942.93	
John A. Olson, Jr.	2,063.11	
		\$112,263.05

Custodian Helpers:

Robert Fitton	\$402.00	
Dwight S. Kaligan	121.44	
David O'Brien	332.80	
James Fitzgerald	576.00	
Peter Rockwell	28.80	
		1,461.04

Maintenance:

Emil V. Lundgren	\$7,467.90	
William G. Hatchfield	7,242.57	
James Doherty	6,070.90	
John Gustafson	5,459.00	
Russell Harris	800.00	
William Meehan	800.00	
Steven Barrett	30.10	
		27,870.47

Maintenance Helpers:

Paul Keyes	\$200.00	
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Robert Firing	220.00	
David Harlow	532.50	
		952.50
Michael Random, MD, School Physician	\$2,592.00	
Blanche C. Maguire, School Nurse	7,494.21	
Mary J. Baxter, School Nurse	6,797.79	
		\$16,884.00
Muriel Pratt, Dental Hygienist	\$6,797.79	
Doris Sheehan, Dental Hygienist—Sub.	360.00	
		7,157.79
Secretaries:		
Evelyn M. Wilde, Office Mgr.	\$7,450.43	
Thelma M. Murphy	6,098.37	
Catherine D. Ryan	1,848.00	
Leslie Gustafson	5,311.80	
Greta C. Sundell	4,468.10	
Dorothy E. Hill	4,121.26	
Lill G. Rideout	4,317.82	
Louise Styren	4,017.39	
Elsie L. Rockwell	3,656.96	
Ellen S. Owen	4,432.79	
Marjorie Sellon	3,238.20	
Florence Farrell	76.68	
Sara E. Owen	404.25	
		49,442.05
Ruth Harlow, Lunch Manager	\$5,173.07	
John Sylvia, Lunch Transport	1,550.60	
James Tully, Lunch Transport	1,532.60	
		8,256.27
		\$224,287.17

Incidentals

Museum of Fine Arts	\$50.00
Rinehart Handwriting System	2,500.00
Florence Farrell	3,179.64
Elizabeth Verity	3,102.96
Esther Mahoney	2,078.90
Grace Duhamel	2,178.86
Eleanor Porter	2,618.28
Joan Nolan	1,538.88
Erina Rodenbush	1,801.82
Anne Williams	2,343.98
Mary Maher	146.65

Joan Bellino	408.83
Rita Cardoza	617.02
Mary Ann Maguire	634.81
Eunice Mowatt	542.58
Caroline Gichel	705.48
Mary E. Higgins	659.04
Lorraine Santos	512.12
Bernice Andrews	623.48
Rhoda Scholfield	183.12
Ellen McCarthy	609.15
Dorothy Silvia	612.98
Joyce Tardito	387.86
E. Louise Vose	519.09
Doris Cavaliere	32.70
Louise Bono	160.23
Marlene Wise	491.82
Natalie Roberts	268.20
Nijole Uzpuzius	319.20
Mary E. Tino	263.22
Elsie Wilde	170.40
Mary C. Costa	74.12
Louise Sawtell	190.00
Doris Sheehan	215.70
Ronald Reynolds	141.12
Beatrice L. Clem	45.00
Joan Chassey	25.00
Gary W. Hilmer	30.00
Carol Bromowski	35.00
Paul H. Hughes	1,062.50
Allan Emerson	100.00
Duncan Oliver	125.00
Francis Garcea	240.00
Francis Ialenti	150.00
Willis K. Smith	57.68
Wanda Tamulis	30.00
Robert J. Wooster	2,265.00
W. Norman Pulaski	1,785.00
Edward F. Lemish	413.50
Robert Pratt	1,370.00
Gardner Sherman	150.00
James Sullivan	14.00
Sara E. Owen	31.50
JoAnne Grundberg	200.00
Donald Harrison	200.00

Richard W. Hill	50.00
Marilyn Hrpka	180.00
John C. Hurley	440.00
Harriet Larson	13.75
Edna McGranachan	80.00
Mary Lee Morgan	50.00
Patsy-Ann O'Boy	205.00
Suzanne Rivard	200.00
John Schuller	80.00
Virginia Shipp	80.00
Jane Skoog	16.25
Richard Tellier	100.00
Juanita E. Treadwell	20.00
Helen Sickles	136.40
William Waas	250.00
Nancy Zimmet	125.00
Roy H. Hayden	33.00
Sydney Shearing	29.88
James Maden	31.00
Joseph M. Andres	3.00
Jay Lupica	65.80
James Fitzgerald	64.00
Robert Firing	107.50
Steven Barrett	65.80
John Norrman	11.20
Scott Aries	2.80
David Harlow	100.00
William Meehan	200.00
Russell Harris	200.00
James Tully	146.30
George Blest	190.00
Rody Fitzgibbons	483.27
Catherine Blachada	75.20
Lorraine Thompson	64.20
Patricia Sullivan	47.96
Patricia Mielde	16.72
Kenneth Brooks	200.00
Paul Sullivan	400.00
Rita Cahill	150.00
Stephen Clay	500.00
David Cleary	150.00
Janice Cress	100.00
Betty Dunlop	150.00
Christopher England	5.00

Dale Erickson	200.00
Gloria Ferrandino	200.00
Eileen Fitzgerald	200.00
Sarah Gallahue	200.00
Linda Greene	200.00
Gerard McGranachan	299.17
Kenneth Fitton	477.32
John Bell	911.71
William Hatchfield	16.56
Robert Walsh	255.23
Doris Fitton	14.99
Alva C. Miller	13.32
Avery Randall	981.91
Hugo Lundgren	1,348.59
Peter Kalium	98.04
Axel Dahl	209.90
Lawrence Gurney	39.11
Walter Webster	115.41
Francis LeRoy	83.44
Joseph Stepanski	40.00
Clifton Wohlen	200.00
Walter Healey	120.00
Stanley Bates, Jr.	240.00
Joel Johnson	300.00
Warren J. Dexter	25.00
Ralph Nystrom	265.00
Joseph Fuller	45.00
Alliston S. Ray	145.00
Paul Romanelli	20.00
Edward Jacobson	20.00
James Stone	30.40
Edgar Huber	10.38
Elsie Rockwell	17.06
Greta Sundell	20.05
Viola J. Willis	18.30
Virginia Johnson	18.30
Bena Rollins	35.70
Helen Borgeson	7.12
Evangeline Crocker	7.12
Jennie Hagg	28.05
Theresa Kavanaugh	6.68
Eleanor Kent	33.22
Audrey Parrish	26.51
Sean Reardon	56.00

John Barry	56.00	
Matthew Bell	29.30	
Bernard Mallory	11.20	
Earl Wilbur	2.80	
Linda Peterson	60.00	
Eleanor Sullivan	56.00	
Lorraine Macuch	9.81	
Shirley Burton	297.00	
Florence Williams	297.00	
Mary Arnberg	200.00	
James Bougas	300.00	
Cherl Bromley	200.00	
Mary Elinor Richard	93.20	
Shirley Tufts	82.40	
Elmer I. G. Larson, Sr.	25.95	
James Doherty	21.47	
Phillip A. Pierce	120.00	
		\$54,292.17
Total of Above Lists		\$2,000,730.00
Unexpended Balance		\$27,772.71

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$452,045.94
Transferred from:		
Oliver Ames Fund	\$22,418.68	
Public Law 85-874	46,736.20	69,154.88
Total Available		\$521,200.82
School Committee Expenses	\$678.42	
Supt. Office Supplies	620.74	
Supt.'s Misc. Expense	784.73	
Supt.'s Expense in State	822.51	
Supt.'s Expense out of State	372.53	
Recruitment of Teachers	.....	
Supervisors Travel in State	458.98	
Supervisors Travel out of State	109.65	
Principals' Supplies	528.78	
Principals' Misc. Expense	386.83	
Principals' Graduation	827.67	
Principals' Travel in State	379.25	
Principals' Travel out of State	884.27	
Principals' Data Processing	6,817.75	
Teaching Supplies	59,841.39	
Teaching out of State Travel	225.86	

Teaching in State	1,093.50	
Teaching in service training and teachers	540.78	
Rental Computer Outlet	1,767.00	
Spoke	6,594.00	
Teachers' Tuition	6,524.00	
Textbooks	35,124.57	
Library Supplies	2,396.64	
Library Books	12,395.44	
Audio Visual Travel	262.35	
Guidance Supplies	3,901.94	
Guidance Travel in State	499.88	
Guidance Travel out of State	616.56	
Old Colony Assoc. Mental Health	2,637.60	
Membership 21" Classroom	1,865.75	
Health Supplies	510.07	
Towel Purchase High School	69.00	
Health Transportation	798.15	
Transportation	135,862.81	
Lunchroom Expenses	66.05	
Equipment & Supplies Lunch	6,470.01	
Gas for Cooking	2,504.02	
Travel Lunch Room Employees	476.11	
Athletic Expenses	15,500.00	
Student Body Activities	771.04	
Custodial Supplies	10,789.51	
Fuel	25,636.92	
Electricity	22,716.87	
Water	1,482.78	
Telephones	5,519.16	
Maint. of Grounds	2,936.10	
Maint. of Equipment	8,705.52	
Replacement of Equipment	26,017.20	
Maint. of Buildings	76,542.48	
Insurance	3,545.50	
Rental Buildings	.....	
Acquisition of New Equipment	10,107.34	
New Equipment P. L. 85-864	11,051.11	
Voc. H. Arts Supplies	522.80	
Trade School Tuition	2,640.90	\$521,200.82
Unexpended Balance		\$.00

Special Repairs Junior High School

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$5,279.23
Expended	5,274.00

Unexpended Balance	\$5.23
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Engineering Survey—Easton Jr. High School Bldg.

Transferred from Reserve Fund	\$2,000.00
Expended	503.75

Unexpended Balance	\$1,496.25
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Oliver Ames Fund

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$29,975.45
Receipts	51,386.36

Total Available	\$81,361.81
Expended (Salaries and Expenses)	57,634.12

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$23,727.69
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Oakes Ames Fund

Receipts	\$20,631.02
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Expended:			
Salaries Summer School	\$9,856.00		
Expenses	898.24		
Scholarships	6,257.00	17,029.24	

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$3,601.78
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Public Law 85-864 — Schools

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$3,054.90
Receipts	11,449.07

Total Available	\$14,503.97
Expended	.00

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$14,503.97
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Public Law 85-874 — Schools

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$46,736.20
Receipts	7,920.00

Total Available	\$54,656.20
Expended	46,736.20

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$7,920.00
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Public Law I 89-10 — Schools

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$14,168.00
Receipts	16,069.00

Total Available	\$30,237.00
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Expended:

Salaries	\$16,696.85	
Expenses	3,401.37	20,098.22

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$10,138.78
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ESEA Title II — Schools

Receipts	\$2,602.24
Expended	2,600.84

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$1.40
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Public Law 88-210 — Business Education

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$16.62
Expended	.00

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$16.62
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Public Law 90-576 — Schools

Receipts	\$25,486.00
Expended:	

Salaries	\$2,977.00	
Expenses	63.71	3,040.71

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$22,445.29
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George Barden Fund — Vocational Education

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$784.00
Expended	784.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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School Lunch

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$42.17
Receipts and Reimbursements	158,818.67

Total Available	\$158,860.84
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Bena Rollins, Manager	2,659.20
Alva Miller, Cook	2,426.12
Viola Willis, Cook	2,408.36
Virginia Johnson, Cook	2,426.12
Sybil Thomas, Helper	1,432.11

Lillian Willis, Helper	1,256.78
Jean Woodworth, Helper	656.72
Roberta Roberts, Helper	296.99
Barbara Firing, Helper	14.56
Joan Shannon, Helper	205.66
Barbara Kaehler, Helper	162.89
Phyllis Day, Helper	191.10
Eleanor Kent, Manager	2,728.32
Audrey Parrish, Cook	2,218.12
Virginia Bodio, Cook	983.07
Helen Borgeson, Helper	949.37
Helen Pooler, Helper	283.92
Winifred Phair, Helper	276.46
Ruth Coffey, Helper	949.80
Gerda Niklason, Helper	14.56
Mary Faust, Helper	172.90
Rita O'Neil, Helper	143.78
Ethel Dinsmore, Manager	2,729.58
Marjorie Cushing, Cook	2,409.47
Janet Jokscho, Cook	2,412.53
Kathleen Beale, Cook	2,295.89
Alice LaCouture, Helper	1,468.50
Lillian Pooler, Helper	448.63
Helen Baker, Helper	174.72
Edith Johnson, Helper	515.66
Shirley Varney, Helper	513.40
Avis Campbell, Manager	2,519.92
Doris Fitton, Cook	2,408.36
Gemma Thomas, Cook	2,354.95
Evelyn Hilmer, Helper	1,450.57
Doris Peterson, Helper	776.08
Patricia Mielde, Helper	1,884.10
Dorothy Pasalacqua, Helper	460.46
Virginia Heath, Helper	397.44
Hilda Silva, Helper	893.73
Mary Kalaigan, Helper	40.04
Evelyn Howard, Helper	74.78
Janice Walker, Helper	369.87
Jeannette Mennino, Helper	287.59
Mary Rose, Helper	10.85
Hazel Randall, Helper	55.12
Evelyn Wilbur, Helper	5.01
Elva Bailey, Manager	1,520.64
Jennie Hagg, Cook	1,364.28

Vera Cruickshank, Helper	916.55	
Evangeline Crocker, Helper	778.94	
Theresa Kavanaugh, Helper	357.38	
Mary Adams, Helper	27.30	
Alice Vasapollo, Helper	32.76	
Sheila Pooler, Helper	10.92	
	\$54,822.93	
Sundry Expenses	104,028.48	\$158,851.41
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$9.43
School Athletics — Revolving Fund		
Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$26.01
Receipts		7,286.24
Total Available		\$7,312.25
Expended		7,285.40
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$26.85
School Hockey Team—Art. #41 — 1969		
Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$2,953.32
Expended		2,953.32
Unexpended Balance		\$0.00
School Site and Study Committee		
Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$241.64
Expended		.00
Unexpended Balance		\$241.64
New Senior High School Construction		
Art. # 1 September 30, 1968		
Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$100,459.79
Bond Issue and Other Adjustments		4,480,000.00
Total Available		\$4,580,459.79
Expended — Contract, Architect, etc.		1,937,790.95
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$2,642,668.84
Southeastern Regional Vocational High School		
Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$116,303.00
Expended		116,303.00
Unexpended Balance		\$0.00

School Land — Arts. #21 & #22 — 1966

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$3,403.35
Expended	.00
Unexpended Balance	\$3,403.35

Young Scholarship Fund

Receipts 1970	\$172.80
Expended	172.80
Unexpended Balance	\$0.00

Mary A. Stone Scholarship Fund

Receipts 1970	\$344.29
Expended	344.29
Unexpended Balance	\$0.00

Mary A. Stone Library Fund

Receipts 1970	\$288.62
Expended	.00
Balance on Hand, January 1, 1971	\$288.62

World War Memorial Scholarship Fund

Receipts 1970	\$818.75
Expended	818.75
Unexpended Balance	\$0.00

Water Commissions Salaries

Transferred from Water Available Surplus, March 16, 1970		\$900.00
James H. Healey	\$300.00	
Russell A. Pollard	300.00	
Raymond A. Taylor	300.00	900.00
Unexpended Balance		\$0.00

Water Department Salaries

Transferred from Water Available Surplus March 16, 1970	\$39,155.00
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	Regular	Overtime	Total
John McEntee	\$9,684.65		\$9,684.65
George Newman	8,311.25	\$189.85	8,501.10

	Regular	Overtime	Total	
Wayne Southworth	7,303.00	111.96	7,414.96	
Raymond Keyes	6,326.52	83.40	6,409.92	
Dorothy Stone	3,021.48		3,021.48	
Louise Holmes	2,094.75		2,094.75	
Joan Healey	42.00		42.00	
Natalie Owens	352.52		352.52	37,521.38
Unexpended Balance				\$1,633.62

Water Department Expense

Transferred from Water Available Surplus			
March 16, 1970			\$42,300.00
Office Supplies and Expense		\$1,021.83	
Telephone		828.56	
Miscellaneous Supplies		1,287.90	
Gas and Oil		1,466.00	
Fuel, Light and Power		11,829.48	
Hired Equipment		5,082.25	
Calgon		1,417.00	
Meters		6,862.60	
Copper and Hardware		8,687.31	
Equipment		462.38	
Repair Well Equipment		977.65	39,922.96
Unexpended Balance			
			\$2,377.04

Red Mill Road — Land

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1970	\$3,200.00
Gertrude W. Estabrook and Lewis S. Rubin	3,000.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	
	\$200.00

Hydrants — Article #16 — 1970

Transferred from Water Available Surplus	
March 16, 1970	\$4,000.00
Expended	2,844.31
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	
	\$1,155.70

New Wells — Article #27 — 1970

Transferred from Water Available Surplus	
March 16, 1970	\$10,000.00
Expended	10,000.00
Unexpended Balance	
	\$0.00

Water Wells — Art. #24 — 1967

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$1,187.00
Expended	1,054.90
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$132.10

Development of Well-Site Near Red Mill Road**Art. #26 — 1968**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$5,355.00
Expended	500.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$4,855.00

Water Mains Foundry Street — Art. #24 — 1969

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$2,407.00
Expended	.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$2,407.00

Fluoridation of Water Supply — Art. #31 — 1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,500.00
Expended	1,000.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$4,500.00

**Water Mains Construction — Arts. #69, 70,
71 and 72 — 1970**

Serial Issue Revenue	\$72,000.00
Expended	60,694.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$11,306.00

Cemeteries Trust Funds

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$3,802.14
Receipts	1,397.49
Total Available	\$5,199.63
Expended	1,883.47
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$3,316.16

Incidentals

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$200.00
Expended	60.00
Unexpended Balance	\$140.00

Insurance

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$45,000.00
Expended	41,736.66

Unexpended Balance	\$3,262.34
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Memorial and Veterans' Day**Art. #3 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$750.00
Expended	712.38

Unexpended Balance	\$37.62
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Town Reports

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$3,652.50
Expended	3,652.50

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Distribution of Town Reports

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$250.00
Expended	250.00

Unexpended Balance	.00
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Capital Budget Committee

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$383.41
Expended	.00

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$383.41
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Industrial Commission Fund

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$699.53
Expended	.00

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$699.53
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Historical Commission Expense

Appropriated March 1, 1970	\$294.00
Expended	90.17

Unexpended Balance	\$203.83
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Recreation Salaries

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$11,036.00
Edward F. Lemish	\$1,350.00
Cynthia A. Fox	770.00
Jana Whiting	800.00

Stephen Clay	820.00	
Holly Randall	780.00	
Sean Reardon	750.00	
Charles Stoddard	700.00	
William McEntee	700.00	
Mary Beth Nolan	700.00	
Robert West	307.90	
Jane Carroll	55.00	
Jeffrey Bergeron	222.00	
Joanne Bodio	222.00	
Donna Daly	222.00	
Daniel Hurley	185.00	
Barbara Lyons	202.00	
Jane McMenemy	192.00	
Paul Mullen	259.20	
Janet Peterson	148.00	
Gary Potter	192.00	
William Rollins	192.00	
Susan Shalowski	192.00	
Karen Skoog	192.00	
Michael Tighe	192.00	
Donna Varney	64.00	
James McIver	113.60	
		10,522.70

Unexpended Balance	\$513.30
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Recreation Expense

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$5,920.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	*5,941.37

Total Available	\$11,861.37
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Expended	11,861.37
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Unexpended Balance	.00
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*\$5,928.05 of this amount was necessary to
replace building and equipment destroyed by fire.

Long Pond

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$1,500.00
Expended	.00

Unexpended Balance	\$1,500.00
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Oakes Ames Memorial Hall**Art. #53 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$2,500.00
Expended	2,500.00

Unexpended Balance .00

Public Transportation**Art. #40 — 1969**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$2,331.15
Unda's Bus Service, Inc.	2,331.15

Unexpended Balance .00

Public Transportation**Art. #52 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$8,690.00
Unda's Bus Service, Inc.	6,940.95

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971 \$1,749.05

Dump Survey Committee**Art. #8 — Spec. Town Meeting—June 3, 1968**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$1,500.00
Expended	1,315.20

Balance on Hand January 1, 1971 \$184.80

Sewerage Study Committee**Art. #2 — Spec. Town Meeting—Sept. 8, 1969**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$1,000.00
Expended	1,000.00

Unexpended Balance .00

Sewerage Study Committee**Art. #39 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$35,500.00
Expended	6,085.85

Unexpended Balance \$29,414.15

Town Government Study Committee**Art. #33 — 1969**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$291.05
Expended	15.09

Unexpended Balance \$275.96

Police Academy Reimbursement**Art. #42 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$60.50
Phillip Pierce	60.50
Unexpended Balance	.00

Police Academy Reimbursement**Art. #43 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$58.40
Leonard Nordbeck	58.40
Unexpended Balance	.00

Police Academy Reimbursement**Art. #44 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$40.50
Joseph Stepanski	40.50
Unexpended Balance	.00

Sanitary Landfill**Art. #55 — 1970 (Wills Property)**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$450.00
Expended	325.33
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$124.67

Sanitary Landfill**Art. #57 — 1970 (Prospect Street)**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$51,000.00
Expended	5.40
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$50,994.60

Sanitary Landfill Site — Operating Expenses**Art. #61 — 1970**

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$13,965.00
Salaries:	
Richard Buckley	\$944.24
Francis Madan	2,508.34
Lawrence Anderson	17.40
Charles Bradley	130.93
Francis Brophy	143.40
George Caney	148.12

Russell Jones	80.67	
Joseph O'Brien	74.69	
Fred Reynolds	114.45	
	\$4,162.24	
Other Operating Expenses	9,620.41	13,782.65
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		182.35

Sanitary Landfill Equipment
Art. #62 — 1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$26,800.00
Fruehauf Distributing Company	\$2,673.00	
Witt Armstrong Equipment Company	24,038.01	
		26,711.01
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$88.99

Close Baldwin St. Dump
Art. #63 — 1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$5,000.00
Salaries:		
Richard Buckley	\$390.00	
Russell Jones	120.00	
Charles Bradley	26.19	
Alfred Jermolovich	28.68	
	\$564.87	
Other Expenses	3,625.30	
		4,190.17
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$809.83

Sanitary Landfill Engineering Surveys
Art. #64 — 1970

Appropriated March 16, 1970		\$11,300.00
C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc.		7,786.00
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971		\$3,514.00

Sanitary Landfill Water Main
Art. #1 — Special Town Meeting October 26, 1970

Transferred from Available Funds		
October 26, 1970		\$3,000.00
Expended		3,000.00
Unexpended Balance		.00

New Packer Truck**Art. #2 — Special Town Meeting October 26, 1970**

Transferred from Overlay Reserve	
October 26, 1970	\$16,735.00
Independence Motor Company	16,735.00
Unexpended Balance	.00

Interest on Notes

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$25,000.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	8,609.49
Total Available	\$33,609.49
Expended	33,609.49
Unexpended Balance	.00

Stabilization Fund

Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$98,873.70
Appropriated March 16, 1970	20,000.00
Total Available	\$118,873.70
Interest Added	5,893.02
Balance on Hand January 1, 1971	\$124,766.72

Conservation Fund

Transferred from Conservation Com-	
mission June 4, 1970	\$8,000.00
Interest Added	147.17
Balance on Hand January 1, 1970	\$8,147.17

Reserve Fund

Appropriated March 16, 1970	\$30,000.00
Group Insurance—Town Share	\$2,841.11
Administrative Assistant's Expense	35.33
Selectmen's Office Expense	127.61
Selectmen's Engineering Services	872.00
Police and Fire Station Expense	750.00
Court Appearances	102.25
Care of Dogs	300.00
Civil Defense Expense	500.00
Highway Regular Overtime	333.61
Highway Snow and Ice Expense	1,794.27

Veterans Benefits	5,700.00	
Engineering Survey Jr.. High School		
Building	2,000.00	
Recreation Expense	5,941.37	
Interest on Notes	8,609.49	
		29,907.04
Unexpended Balance		\$92.96
Balance Returned to Reserve Fund		1,631.43
Unexpended Balance		\$1,724.39

TOWN OF EASTON

BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1970

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Assets

Cash
Revenue Cash Investment
Non-Revenue Cash Investment
Petty Cash

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:

Levy of 1969:
Personal Property
Real Estate

Levy of 1970:

Personal Property
Real Estate

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Levy of 1966
Levy of 1967
Levy of 1968
Levy of 1969
Levy of 1970

Liabilities and Reserves

Cash Over/Short
Planning Board Deposits

Overlay—1968
Overlay—1969
Overlay—1970
Overlay Reserve

Revenue Reserved Until Collected

Tax Title Revenue
Tax Possession Revenue
Farm Excise Tax Revenue
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Reserve
Departmental Revenue
Water Revenue
Tax Judgment Lien Reserve

Overestimates 1970 Assessments

State:

Mosquito Control
County Tax

Mary A. Stone Library Trust Fund

Chapter 718 Highways
Road Machinery Fund
Sale of Real Estate Fund—Ch. 44 Sec. 63
Dog Licenses
Sale of Dogs
Reserve for Petty Cash Advance
Transfer Excess Gov't Equipment
Ames Highway Fund

\$21.00
3,000.00
4,000.00
9,000.00
62,609.15
83,433.91
\$6,609.07
5,307.58
42.00
64,598.43
120.00
102,554.93
509.30
179,741.31
\$760.71
3,006.75
3,766.46
288.62
234.74
647.72
2,500.00
17.00
12.00
70.00
4.82
.10

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1970 — Continued

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Farm Excise Tax:		Drainage—Sheridan St. Art. #12—1968	200.52
Levy of 1970	42.00	Schools:	
Special Assessments		Oliver Ames Fund Income	\$23,727.69
Water Liens Added		Oakes Ames Fund Income	3,601.78
to Taxes 1969	997.99	Public Law 65-864	14,503.97
Water Liens Added		Public Law 85-874	7,920.00
to Taxes 1970	2,722.37	Public Law I 89-10	10,138.78
		Public Law 88-210	16.62
		ESEA Title II Library	1.40
		Public Law 90-576	22,445.29
Water Assessments			
Added to Taxes 1969	135.00		
Water Assessments		Revolving Funds:	
Added to Taxes 1970	350.23	School Lunches	\$9.43
		School Athletics	26.85
Committed Interest on		New Senior High School Bldg. Const.	2,642,668.84
Apportioned Water		School Site Study Committee	241.64
Assessments added		School Land Art. #21 and #22	3,403.35
to Taxes—1969	59.40	Water Construction:	
Committed Interest on		Land, Norton Ave.,	
Apportioned Water		Red Mill Rd., etc.	\$200.00
Assessment added		Water Wells, Art. #24—1967	132.10
to Taxes—1970	146.63	Development of Well-Site near	
		Red Mill Rd., Art. #26—1968	4,855.00
		Water Mains Foundry St.,	
		Art. #24—1969	
Unapportioned Water Assessments		Hydrants—Art. #16—1970	2,407.00
Tax Title Account	67,852.40	Water Main Construction	1,155.70
Tax Possession Account	6,609.07	Arts. #69, 70, 71 & 72—1970	
Tax Judgment Lien	5,307.58		11,306.00
	509.30		
			20,055.80

Departmental Accounts Receivable:	Fluoridation of Water Supply—		
Rental of Welfare Office—	Art. #31—1970	120.00	4,500.00
Comm. of Mass.	Cemeteries Trust Fund Income		3,316.16
Water Department Accounts Receivable:	Capital Budget Committee		383.41
Water Rates	Industrial Commission Fund	\$27,006.51	699.53
Water Services	Long Pond	3,284.30	1,500.00
	Conservation Commission		797.94
	Town Government Study Committee—	30,290.81	
	Art. #33—1969		275.96
Loans Authorized:	Dump Survey Committee—Art. #8—1968		184.80
School	Sewerage Study Committee—Art. #39—1970	465,000.00	29,414.15
Overlay 1967	Public Transportation—Art. #52—1970	133.25	1,749.05
Unprovided For or Overdrawn Accounts:	Sanitary Land Fill Lease—		124.67
Underestimate 1970 Assessment:	A. A. Will Site—Art. #55—1970		
State Parks and	Purchase—Prospect St. Site for Sanitary		
Reservations—1970	Land Fill Operations—Art. #57—1970	\$1,104.74	50,994.60
Old Colony Planning	Sanitary Land Fill Site Operations—		
Council—1970	Art. #61—1970	423.80	182.35
	Purchase Equipment for Sanitary Land	1,528.54	
Court Judgments	Fill Operations—Art. #62—1970	7,000.00	88.99
Maturing Debt and Interest	Close Baldwin St. Dump—Art. #63—1970	159,292.50	809.83
	Engineering Surveys on Sanitary Land		
	Fill Sites—Art. #64—1970		3,514.00
	Purchase Williams Lot for Conservation		
	Art. #66—1970		152.04
	Water Betterment Releases		297.79
	Loans Authorized and Unissued:		
	School		465,000.00
	Water Available Surplus		6,781.95
	Surplus Revenue		434,932.79
			\$4,104,008.80

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Assets
Net Funded or Fixed Debt

\$7,014,000.00		
School Bonds Issue of 1952		
School Bonds Issue of 1955:		
Ch. 645 of 1948		\$32,000.00
Ch. 44		
School Bonds Issue of 1957		225,000.00
School Bonds Issue of 1969		25,000.00
School Bonds Issue of 1963		20,000.00
School Bonds Issue of 1965		300,000.00
School Bonds Issue of 1970		590,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1958		225,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1959		4,755,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1963		15,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1966		80,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1967		120,000.00
Water Bonds Issue of 1970		200,000.00
Fire and Police Station Bond Issue of 1968		30,000.00
		72,000.00
		325,000.00
		\$7,014,000.00

Liabilities

DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Assessments Not Due:
Water

	Apportioned Water Assessments Revenue	
	Due in 1971 to 1984 inclusive	
\$56,947.34		\$56,947.34
\$56,947.34		\$56,947.34

Respectfully submitted,

S. GEORGE LOWNDES,
Town Accountant

Report of the Inspector of Wires

To: The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Easton, Massachusetts

The following is the report of the Inspector of Wires for the year ending 1970.

Edison Permits	362
Services	205
Rough Wiring	200
Electric Ranges	51
Electric Dryers	70
Locked Premises	15
Trailers	10
Construction Services	31
Oil Burners	55
Carnivals, etc.	2
Add Outlets	130
Miscellaneous	70
Electric Water Heaters	50
Fire Calls	5
Pools	10

The latest edition of the Massachusetts State Electrical Code was used for all inspections with no special rules applied.

Once again I would like to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Town Clerk's office and the people of Easton for the splendid cooperation they gave this department.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT M. GREINER,
Inspector of Wires

Report of the Nursing Association

Following is the report of acute communicable cases and visits made by the nurses in 1970.

	Cases	Visits
Tuberculosis-inactive	7	16
Tuberculosis-contacts	35	63
Salmonella	5	7
Hepatitis	1	2
Total	48	88

Contacts by telephone and mail were made to individuals delinquent in regard to check-up visits. Mantoux tuberculosis testing is now available to Easton residents at the nursing office. The staff nurses participated in a Heaf testing program at Stonehill College and will do follow-up on the Easton residents who are positive reactors.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. LAWSON, R. N.

Report of the Collector of Taxes

Taxes of 1966 & 1967

	Uncollected 1-1-70	Collected	Abated	Uncollected 12-31-70
Excise 1966	\$201.48	\$3.10		\$198.38
Excise 1967	455.84	10.10	\$300.39	145.35

Taxes of 1968

Dr.

Uncollected Balance January 1, 1970	\$36,580.93	
Excise Committed in 1970	130.18	
Interest Charged	3,305.22	
Costs Charged	173.68	
Tax Title Interest	85.78	
Tax Title Costs	43.52	
Abatement after payment	1,236.50	
		\$41,555.81

Cr.

Collected in 1970	\$31,813.04	
Interest Collected	3,305.22	
Costs Collected	173.68	
Abatements	1,677.99	
Tax Title Account	747.70	
Tax Title Interest	85.78	
Tax Title Costs	43.52	
Abatements Refunded	1,236.50	
Uncollected Balance December 31, 1970	2,472.38	
		\$41,555.81

Itemized

	Collected	Abated	Re- funded	Tax Titles	Uncol- lected
Excise	\$1,343.78	\$1,305.99	\$16.50	.00	\$2,472.38
Personal	.00	40.00	.00	.00	.00
Real	29,018.85	332.00	1,220.00	708.00	.00
Water Lien	999.93	.00	.00	17.50	.00
App. Water Assess.	320.10	.00	.00	15.00	.00
Com. Interest	130.38	.00	.00	7.20	.00
	\$31,813.04	\$1,677.99	\$1,236.50	\$747.70	\$2,472.38

Taxes of 1969**Dr.**

Uncollected Balance January 1, 1970	\$130,088.71	
Excise Committed in 1970	34,819.12	
Interest Charged	2,249.02	
Costs Charged	745.00	
Tax Title Interest	62.64	
Tax Title Costs	3.00	
Abatements after payment	3,494.94	
		\$171,462.43

Cr.

Collected in 1970	\$103,552.15	
Interest Collected	2,249.02	
Costs Collected	745.00	
Abatements	20,062.15	
Tax Title Account	782.70	
Tax Title Interest	62.64	
Tax Title Costs	3.00	
Tax Judgement Lien	.00	
Abatements Refunded	3,494.94	
Uncollected Balance December 31, 1970	40,510.83	
		\$171,462.43

Itemized

	Collected	Abated	Re-funded	Tax Titles	Uncollected
Excise	\$42,540.45	\$19,984.75	\$3,365.94	.00	\$7,689.80
Personal	1,098.65	64.50	.00	.00	279.50
Farm Excise	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
Real	59,110.34	12.90	129.00	761.10	31,348.89
Water Lien	558.31	.00	.00	.00	997.99
App. Water Assess.	181.13	.00	.00	15.00	135.00
Com. Interest	63.27	.00	.00	6.60	59.40
Sales Tax	.00	.00	.00	.00	.25
	\$103,552.15	\$20,062.15	\$3,494.94	\$782.70	\$40,510.83

Taxes of 1970**Dr.**

Excise Commitments	\$340,315.30
Personal Property Commitments	112,527.49
Farm Excise Commitments	321.25
Real Estate Commitments	2,619,807.75
App. Water Asses. Commitments	8,450.67
Com. Int. on App. Water Assessment	2,690.51

Dr.

Water Lien Committed	11,233.09
Sales Tax Committed	13.19
Interest Charged	807.64
Costs Charged	272.00
Abatements after payment	15,609.76
	\$3,112,048.65

Cr.

Collected in 1970	\$2,842,718.01
Interest Collected	807.64
Costs Collected	272.00
Abatements	94,582.92
Tax Title Account	1,492.75
Abatements Refunded	8,132.60
Uncollected Balance December 31, 1970	164,042.73
	\$3,112,048.65

Itemized

	Commitment	Collected	Abated	Refunded	Tax Title	Uncollected
Excise	\$340,315.30	\$265,346.05	\$28,358.02	\$7,477.16	.00	\$54,088.39
Personal	112,527.49	110,929.39	436.80	4.20	.00	1,161.30
Farm Excise	321.25	279.25	.00	.00	.00	42.00
Real	2,619,807.75	2,447,037.28	65,788.10	8,128.40	\$1,452.15	105,530.22
W. Lien	11,233.09	8,493.22	.00	.00	17.50	2,722.37
App.						
W. Assess.	8,450.67	8,083.84	.00	.00	16.50	350.33
Com. Int.	2,690.51	2,537.28	.00	.00	6.60	146.63
Sales Tax	13.19	11.70	.00	.00	.00	1.49
	\$3,095,359.25	\$2,842,718.01	\$94,582.92	\$15,609.76	\$1,492.75	\$164,042.73

Water Assessment**Dr.**

Uncollected Balance January 1, 1970	\$7,859.75
Water Commitment in 1970	71,567.65
Deferred Water Assess. Committed	4,177.50
Com. Int. on Deferred Water Assess.	60.91
Suspended Water Assess. Committed	5,018.07
Com. Int. on Suspended Water Assess.	1,107.91
Interest Charged	13.22
	\$89,805.01

Cr.

Collected in 1970	\$11,624.14	
Interest Collected	13.22	
Abatements	3,137.75	
Certification of Unpaid Water	.00	
Assessment to Board of Assessors	7,177.50	
Uncollected December 31, 1970	67,852.40	
		\$89,805.01

Itemized

	Collected	Abated	Cost to Assessors	Uncollected
1969 Water Assessment	\$682.25	.00	\$7,177.50	.00
1970 Water Assessment	577.50	3,137.75	.00	67,852.40
Apportioned Water Assessment				
Paid in Advance	4,177.50	.00	.00	.00
Committed Interest on Appor-				
tioned Water Assessment	60.91	.00	.00	.00
Suspended Water				
Assessment Paid	5,018.07	.00	.00	.00
Committed Interest on Suspended				
Water Assessment Paid	1,107.91	.00	.00	.00
	\$11,624.14	\$3,137.75	\$7,177.50	\$67,852.40

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Collector

Report of the Treasurer

Receipts

Balance, January 1, 1970	\$627,357.16
Temporary Loans—Anticipation of Revenue	1,100,000.00
Temporary Loans—Anticipation of School Bonds	525,000.00
School Construction Loan	4,755,000.00
Water Mains Construction Loan	72,000.00
Interest and Premium on Bonds	3,522.50
Interest on Treasurer's Deposits	88,239.44
Federal Withholding Taxes	397,779.77
State Withholding Taxes	76,198.26
Bristol County Retirement (Employees)	40,001.45
Bristol County Group Insurance (Employees)	37,128.57
Insurance Claims	11,399.13
State Sales Tax	174.39
Refunds	1,305.69

Received from Town Collector:

Town Taxes for 1966	3.10
Town Taxes for 1967	10.10
Town Taxes for 1968	30,362.63
Town Taxes for 1969	102,749.44
Town Taxes for 1970	2,823,591.97
Water Liens	10,051.46
Water Betterments	19,040.39
Interest on Taxes and Betterments	10,261.63
Redemption of Tax Title	7,368.16
Subsequent Interest and Costs on Redemption	1,166.77

Received from Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

School Construction	218,116.02
School Lunch	46,128.27
Transportation of Pupils	88,668.06
Public Law #874	7,920.00
National Defense Education—Title III	10,198.19
National Defense Education—Title V	1,250.88
Plowing Snow	3,105.25
Chapter 90—Highways	9,975.61
State Tax Valuation Basis Distribution	40,360.37
State Fed. Aid—Regional School District	89,628.00

Chapter 70	685,973.84
Machinery Basis	5,078.83
Disabled Veterans	344.00
1967 Highway Improvement—Chap. 616, Sec. 5	6,449.57
1969 Highway Improvement—Chap. 768, Sec. 5	19,348.71
George Barden Fund	486.00
Vocational Education	8,389.00
Division of Library Extension, Title II	2,602.24
Adult Ed. & Extended Services, Edu.—	
Children of Low Income	16,069.00
Special Ed., Chap. 58	14,643.00
Highway Safety	3,685.00
Received from County of Bristol:	
Dog Fund of 1969	1,101.44
Care of Dogs	886.00
Chapter 90 Highways	9,975.61
Group Insurance—Dividends	1,069.00
Oliver Ames Highway Fund Income	52,348.72
Oliver Ames Highway Fund Income (Permanent)	2,110.53
Oliver Ames School Fund Income	51,386.36
Oakes Ames School Fund Income	20,631.02
School Lunch	112,690.40
School Athletics	7,286.24
Mary A. Stone Scholarship Fund Income	344.29
Mary A. Stone Library Trust Fund Income	585.59
Young Scholarship Fund Income	172.80
World War Memorial Scholarship Fund Income	818.75
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	1,397.49
Dog Licenses less fees	2,554.75
Sale of Dogs	108.00
Departmental Receipts:	
Appeals Board—Fees	575.00
Assessors—Sale of Maps	397.75
Conservation—Miscellaneous Receipts	200.00
Fire Department—Permits	37.50
Gas Inspection—Fees	1,064.00
Health Department:	
Licenses and Permits 1970	2,617.50
Licenses and Permits 1971	165.50
Plumbing Inspection Fees	1,726.00
Incidentals—Licenses and Permits 1970	742.00
Licenses and Permits 1971	7,179.00

Inspection of Buildings—Fees	9,450.90
Inspection of Wires—Fees	1,223.33
Planning Board—Fees	120.00
Planning Board—Sale of Maps	184.88
Planning Board—Zoning Books	77.00
Police Dept.—Fines	938.65
Pistol Permits	336.00
Gun Registration	200.00
Dealer's Permits	20.00
Ammunition License	1.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures—Fees	158.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	16.00
Schools — Town of Sharon	1,437.13
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,373.79
Town Clerk Fees	2,378.85
Gasoline Registration	53.00
Sale of Street Lists	140.00
Permits—Bazaars and Raffles	70.00
Town Collector—Trailer Fees	2,328.00
Statement of Municipal Lien Cert.	477.00
Costs	1,190.68
Veteran's Benefits—Com. of Mass.	15,831.71
Water Rates and Services	122,939.24
Welfare—Com. of Mass.—Rental of Rooms	1,800.00
	\$12,463,048.25

Expenditures

Temporary Loans—Anticipation of Revenue	1,100,000.00
Anticipation of School Bonds	525,000.00
Federal Withholding Taxes	397,779.77
Paid Commonwealth of Massachusetts:	
State Recreation Areas	14,973.31
Motor Vehicle Excise Assessment	1,147.65
Mosquito Control	5,973.34
State Assessment System	405.20
State Withholding Taxes	76,198.26
State Sales Taxes	174.39
Old Colony Planning Council	2,449.80
Group Insurance—Chap. 32A, Sec. 10B (c)	124.67
Paid County of Bristol:	
County Taxes	72,480.61
Retirement deductions—Employees	40,001.45

Group Insurance—Employees Share	37,128.57
Town Share	37,712.66
Retirement Assessment	49,907.34
Tax Refunds	20,341.20
School Bonds and Notes	171,000.00
Interest on School Bonds and Notes	48,790.00
Water Bonds and Notes	75,000.00
Interest on Water Bonds and Notes	19,100.00
Fire and Police Station Bonds and Notes	25,000.00
Interest on Fire & Police Station Cons. Loan	14,850.00
World War Memorial Scholarship	818.75
Young Scholarship	172.80
Mary A. Stone Scholarship	344.29
Interest on Temporary Loans	33,609.49
Departmental Receipts (See Accountant's Report)	6,539,571.41
Balance, December 31, 1970	3,152,993.29
	\$12,463,048.25

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Treasurer

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1970

Assets

Cash in Treasury	
General Fund	\$438,316.96
Fire & Police Station Construction Account	375.49
New High School Building Construction Acct.	2,702,668.84
Water Construction Account	11,632.00
	\$3,152,993.29

Liabilities

Outstanding School Bonds:

Issue of 1952	1.6%	\$32,000.00	
Issue of 1955	2.7%	250,000.00	
Issue of 1957	3.8%	20,000.00	
Issue of 1960	3.5%	300,000.00	
Issue of 1963	3.0%	590,000.00	
Issue of 1965	3.4%	225,000.00	
Issue of 1970	6.70%	4,755,000.00	
			\$6,172,000.00

Outstanding Water Bonds:

Issue of 1958	3.0%	\$15,000.00	
Issue of 1959	3.8%	80,000.00	
Issue of 1963	3.0%	120,000.00	
Issue of 1966	4.10%	200,000.00	
Issue of 1967	3.70%	30,000.00	
Issue of 1970	6.00%	72,000.00	
			517,000.00

Fire and Police Station Construction Loan:

Issue of 1968	4.40%	\$325,000.00	325,000.00
			\$7,014,000.00

Uncollected Taxes (excluding Automobile Excise) as of December 31, 1970

	Committed	Uncollected	% Collected
For the year 1969	\$2,318,089.46	\$32,761.38	98.58
For the year 1970	2,752,340.25	109,806.22	96.01

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Treasurer and Collector

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

In Custody of Selectmen

	Prin- cipal	Balance 1-1-70	1970 Interest Added	With- drawal 1970	Balance 12-31-70
Nancy B. Buck	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$10.56	\$10.56	\$200.00
Josiah Williams	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Howe-Keith-White	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
Seth L. French	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Alonzo Marshall	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
	\$800.00	\$800.00	\$42.22	\$42.22	\$800.00

Hiram P. and Mary L. Drake Cemetery Fund

Special Fund	\$500.00	\$600.00	\$33.15	\$33.15	\$600.00
General Fund	10,685.75	10,685.75	599.92	599.92	10,685.75

ARTHUR H. TUFTS
JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.
CHARLES C. WILLIS

Selectmen of Easton

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

In Custody of Town Treasurer

	Prin- cipal	Balance 1-1-70	1970 Interest Added	With- drawal 1970	Balance 12-31-70
Cyrus Alger	\$300.00	\$400.00	\$21.15	\$21.15	\$400.00
Daniel Belcher	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
James D. Burns	500.00	846.21	46.75	.00	892.96
Carr & White	2,500.00	4,330.37	243.11	.00	4,573.48
S. Olive Drake	243.41	540.77	25.78	5.00	561.55
Daniel M. Dailey	150.00	150.00	7.90	7.90	150.00
Elizabeth F. Drake	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
William Erving	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Margaret J. Fisher	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Goward Lots	1,000.00	1,000.00	56.11	56.11	1,000.00
Dean Keith	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Everett L. Lewis Fund	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
Lothrop & Towne	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Robert Malloy Lots	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Thomas C. McDermott Lots	1,000.00	1,000.00	56.10	56.10	1,000.00
Thomas C. McDermott	500.00	500.00	27.62	27.62	500.00
Archie J. McEntee Lots	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Almira E. Packard	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Pine Grove Cemetery	2,435.84	2,435.84	136.73	136.73	2,435.84
Elizabeth J. Reed	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
Michael & Elizabeth Welsh Lots	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00
E.D. & E.H. Williams	150.00	150.00	7.90	7.90	150.00
Lewis Williams	100.00	100.00	5.27	5.27	100.00

	Prin- cipal	Balance 1-1-70	1970 Interest Added	With- drawal 1970	Balance 12-31-70
Willis & Brod Lots	200.00	200.00	10.56	10.56	200.00
Harriet V. Stone	5,000.00	5,000.00	280.71	280.71	5,000.00
Raymond T. & Carolyn Parke	500.00	500.00	28.04	28.04	500.00
James Cunningham	500.00	500.00	20.89	.00	520.89
	\$16,579.25	\$19,153.19	\$1,053.73	\$722.20	\$19,484.72

WORLD WAR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance January 1, 1970	\$23,417.19	
Interest Added in 1970	1,303.20	
		\$24,720.39
Withdrawn in 1970		818.75
Balance December 31, 1970		\$23,901.64

YOUNG SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance January 1, 1970	\$3,087.33	
Interest Added 1970	170.93	
		\$3,258.26
Scholarship withdrawn in 1970		172.80
Balance December 31, 1970		\$3,085.46

STABILIZATION FUND

Balance January 1, 1970	\$98,873.70	
Added in 1970	20,000.00	
Interest added in 1970	5,893.02	
Balance December 31, 1970		\$124,766.72

MARY A. STONE TRUST FUNDS

	Prin- cipal	Balance 1-1-70	1970 Interest Added	With- drawal 1970	Balance 12-31-70
Scholarship	\$6,000.00	\$6,173.36	\$341.86	\$344.29	\$6,170.93
Library	5,000.00	5,362.33	288.62	585.59	5,065.36

CONSERVATION FUND

Principal	\$8,000.00	
Interest added in 1970	147.17	
Balance December 31, 1970		\$8,147.17

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Treasurer

Licenses and Permits – 1970

(Paid to Town Treasurer)

Common Victualler's License

(Fee \$5.00)

Maplewood Ice Cream	Gerry's Luncheonette
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Sunday Entertainment Licenses

Dogs & Suds	(annual)	\$50.00
Pickle Barrel Room		172.00
Easton 138 Motel, Inc.		192.00

Auctioneer's License

(Fee \$2.00)

Virginia Shepard	Raymond Ladd
Charles Michaelson	Avery Williams
Louis Freitas	

Permits to Conduct Bazaars and Raffles

(Fee \$10.00)

Easton Lions Club	Stonehill College Guild
Easton Jr. Hockey League	Elise Circle Club
Easton Garden Club	Eastonites Bowling League
Easton Grange	

Package Store (Beer & Wine)

(Fee \$125.00)

South Easton Public Market

Special Liquor Licenses

Easton Jaycees	\$3.00
Democratic Town Committee	1.00
Portuguese American Social Club	75.00
Roy Owens	1.00
Easton Rod & Gun Club	3.00
Marchegiani Society of Boston	25.00
Italo American Grove Trust	25.00
Howard Ayers	2.00
Neighborhood Club of Needham	25.00
Virginia Shepard	3.00

State Peddler's License

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$16.00
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Oil Burner and Bottle Gas Permits

Sundry

\$37.50

Gasoline Storage

(Fee \$10.00)

Roy Oman

Tanner Ford Sales

Gasoline Registrations

(Fee \$1.00)

Phillips Petroleum Co.	Robert E. Holmberg
Atlantic Richfield Co.	Maplewood Realty Trust
Mobile Oil Corp.	Easton Country Club
Mrs. Oakes Ames Estate	Oliver Ames
Charles Barboza	Belcher Malleable Iron Co.
Phebe Benson	Brockton Sand & Gravel Corp.
D. R. Campbell Machine Co.	Clover Valley Farm
William N. Cummings	John O. Dean Co., Inc.
Dynamic Coaters	Francis R. Evans & William H. Garvey
Mrs. Fred Harnden	Frank L. Hicks
Herrick H. Hollis	Humble Oil & Refining Co.
Intercity Transportation	Jenney Mfg. Co.
The Kendall Co.	William T. Knapp & Son
Immaculate Conception Church	McCarthy Coal & Oil Co.
Harry R. Michelson	Paul Mitrano
James & Lucinda Murphy	Roy C. Oman
Pine Oaks Golf Club	John Pires
Plain Realty Trust	John G. Riley
Simpson Spring Co.	Donald Smith
Southeastern Voc. Reg. School	Stedfast Rubber Co., Inc. (6)
John A. Stupak, Jr.	Sun Oil Co. (2)
Harry J. D. Sundell	Tanner Motor Sales
Edward E. Wilbur (2)	A. A. Will Corp. of Easton

Board of Health Licenses and Permits**Non-Alcoholic Beverage**

Bottling	Simpson Spring Co.	\$20.00
Day Camp	Maplewood Shores	5.00
Camp License	Meadowbrook Camp Ground	20.00
Milk & Oleo Licenses	Sundry	22.50
Septic Tank Permits	Sundry	2,540.00

Food Permits

(Fee \$5.00)

Maplewood Ice Cream

Gerry's Luncheonette

Licenses and Permits - 1971

Liquor (All Alcoholic)

(Fee \$450.00)

The Eastoner Restaurant	400 Restaurant
Spillane's (Union Villa)	Crossroads Cafe
Easton Golfer's Association	Easton 138 Motel
Pickle Barrel Room	Tally-Ho
Pine Oaks Golfer's Assoc., Inc.	Edmund's Restaurant

Package Store (All Alcoholic)

(Fee \$450.00)

Kennel Pkg. Store, Inc.	Mitrano's Pkg. Store, Inc.
	Highway, Inc.

Package Store (Beer & Wine)

(Fee \$125.00)

Garcia's Grocery Store	Bridge Street Pkg. Store
Village Pkg. Store	Nelson's Pkg. Store

Club Licenses (All Alcoholic)

(Fee \$250.00)

George F. Schindler Post, V.F.W.

Common Victualler's Licenses

(Fee \$5.00)

Dog & Suds	Stonehill College
Me & the Mrs.	Johnnie's Cyder Mill
Country Store	Maplewood Ice Cream Shoppe
McMenamy's Hamburger, Inc.	Ing's Kitchen
Fernandes Super Market	Dip 'n Sip Donut Shop
The Eastoner Restaurant	Geo. F. Schindler Post, V.F.W.
Easton 138 Motel, Inc.	Village Store
Easton Golfer's Association	Crossroads Cafe
Spillane's Union Villa	400 Restaurant
Pickle Barrel Room	The Chuckwagon
Tally-Ho	Pine Oaks Golfer's Assoc., Inc.
Gerry's Sub Shop	Edmund's Restaurant

Sunday Entertainment Licenses

Easton 138 Motel, Inc.	(annual)	\$150.00
Tally-Ho	(annual)	50.00
Pickle Barrel Room		20.00
Crossroads Cafe	(annual)	50.00

Auto Dealers, Class I

(Fee \$15.00)

Paul Mitrano Chevrolet

Tanner Ford Sales (2)

Auto Dealers, Class II

(Fee \$10.00)

United Auto

North Easton Motor Sales

Highway Auto Sales

Maplewood Garage

South Easton Motor Sales

Sherwood's Auto Service

Ralph Armstead Motors

Auto Dealers, Class III

(Fee \$25.00)

Henry Wilbur

Highway Auto Sales

Auctioneer's License

(Fee \$2.00)

Charles Willis

Charles Michaelson

Louis Freitas

Gustav Winwroth

Benjamin Cianfarani

Lawrence Wood

Taxi Licenses

(Fee \$5.00)

Dorothy McMenamy

Harold Hickey

Public Weigher's License

(Fee \$1.00)

William Duggan

John Bullman

Board of Health, Licenses and Permits

Trailer Park—Renewal	Easton Mobile Home Park	\$.50
Garbage Transportation	Wilson Corkum	5.00
Garbage Transportation	Joseph Gill	5.00
Sewage Transportation	Stoughton Pumping Service	10.00
Sewage Transportation	Kenneth Hurley	10.00
Sewage Transportation	Ralph Peterson	10.00
Piggery Permit	Joseph Gill	5.00

Food Permits

(Fee \$5.00)

Johnnie's Cyder Mill

Mr. & the Mrs.

Stonehill College

Dog & Suds

400 Restaurant

Spillane's Union Villa

Crossroads Cafe

Easton Golfer's Assoc.

Village Store

Easton 138 Motel

Geo. F. Schindler Post 2547

Fernandes Super Market

Ing's Kitchen

McMenamy's Hamburger House

Maplewood Ice Cream

Country Store

The Eastoner Restaurant

Dip 'n Sip Donut Shop

Pickle Barrel Room

The Chuckwagon

Tally-Ho

Pine Oaks Golfer's

Edmund's Restaurant

Gerry's Sub Shop

Report of the The Ames Trust Funds

The following statement is supplied the Town Treasurer by the office of the Trustees of the Ames Trust Funds.

Following is a summary of the Ames Trust Funds held for the benefit of the Town of Easton as of December 31, 1970, together with an estimate of the 1971 income. The estimate for the 1971 income is based on the amounts which the various companies are now paying. This estimate does not allow for any deductions which may have to be made before the net income is paid over to the Town of Easton; neither does it take into consideration any reductions in dividends which might be made by the various companies.

FUNDS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EASTON HIGHWAYS

	Book Value	Approximate Market Value	Income Paid in 1970 to Town	Est. Income in 1971 from Securities
Original Fund	\$899,493.64	\$1,239,135.00	\$64,698.91	\$69,000.00
Permanent Fund	37,298.03	50,865.00	2,502.65	2,700.00

FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EASTON SCHOOLS

Original Fund	\$754,971.74	\$1,046,459.00	\$53,929.95	\$57,000.00
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ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Treasurer

Town Clerk's Report

Births Registered in Easton in 1970

Date	Name of Child	Parents' Names (Maiden Name of Mother)
1969		
March:		
1	Jennifer Jean Wood	James L. and Elizabeth M. Cuzner
December:		
13	Liza Janine MacKinnon	Donald J. and Anita E. Ivaldi
16	Christopher Lawrence Noonan	John P. and Paula M. Sullivan
28	Tracy Ann Fisher	David W. and Imelda A. Clynes
1970		
January:		
10	Christopher Allan Harrison	Allan B. and Eunice A. Mowatt
11	Marie Carolyn Goodwin	Walter L. and Carolyn J. Colangelo
11	Adriane Marie Wallace	Michael J. and Elizabeth D. Simoneau
15	Brian Edward Sweetman	Francis E. and Virginia E. Cola
16	Richard Michael Conefrey ..	Robert T. and Miriam E. Parent
16	Heather Lynn Tareco	Joseph S. Jr. and Audrey J. Henshaw
17	Robert Anthony Dorrer, Jr.	Robert A. and Elaine H. Ackerman
17	Stacey Jean Urciuoli	Frank A. and Janice M. Anagnoston
19	Jason Michael Buhl	Peter R. and Diane Schmelter
20	Todd Michael Swanson	Martin D. and Donna L. Toomey
26	William Francis Saunders	Herbert C. III and Donna P. Dewey
26	Michael Derek Luccini	Louis G. and Katherine L. Kinsella
30	Gretchen Veronica Harvey	Cornelius J. and Paulette Messier
February:		
3	Christy Marie Crivellaro	Charles P. and Barbara A. Jones
3	Danette Frances Ferry	Paul F. and Patricia A. Lemery
5	David Eric Schofield	Russell W. and Mary A. Wood
8	Thor Peter Lundberg	Robert W. and Joyce R. Ippolito
11	Peter Joseph Ebert	John J. and Jeanne L. Carlson
12	Brad Michael Mullahy	Thomas P. and Bonnie L. Matusewicz
12	Tracy Nicole Baldner	John J. and Norma J. Simpson
19	Dawn Marie Jenness	Thomas C. and Jean A. Badger
23	John Kenneth Bridges	Robert A. and Barbara E. Eayrs
24	Holly Lynn Eccleston	Earl E. and Elaine S. Loader
27	Elizabeth Anne Hughes	Paul H. and Anne P. Cunnane
28	John James Freitas III	John J. Jr. and Susanne R. LaFratta
March:		
2	Paul Alan Skinner	Paul R. and Shirley A. Gallagher
2	Margaret Elizabeth Dolloff	Frederick H. and Barbara A. Ehrler
6	Ronald Peter Millman, Jr.	Ronald P. and Gertrude E. Howard
10	Anne Margaret Walcott	Robert C. and Jane A. McKenney
14	Andrew Albert Keach	John A. Jr. and Arlene M. Albert
16	Jason Matthew Kent	Richard J. Jr. and Christine Healey

Date	Name of Child	Parents' Names (Maiden Name of Mother)
March:		
18	Wesley Clayton Oliver	Thomas and Helen E. Cook
21	Daniel Patrick Casey	Thomas F. and Ivy L. Morrison
21	Elizabeth Jane McNeill	Daniel A. and Emily J. Leonard
27	Caitlin Elizabeth Goldsmith	Michael E. and Suzanne R. Lowndes
28	Sandra Ellen Hammond	Allan W. and Barbara L. Lewis
April:		
4	Jennifer Ann Amorim	John F. and Isabel L. Camara
5	Deborah Ann McCormick	Lawrence J. and Dianne F. DeCota
6	Patricia Louise Cushman	Robert E. and Virginia L. Downs
7	James Leo Wood II	James L. and Elizabeth M. Cuzner
7	Timothy Coleman Jackson	Timothy H. and Harriet N. Fenn
7	Kathleen Ann Walsh	William J. and Barbara A. Saley
8	Pamela Jean Dinsmore	John A. and Jean L. Fox
9	Maureen Catherine Gallagher	Walter R. and Kathleen L. Crowley
12	Scott Richard Anderson	Richard L. and Judith M. Talbot
13	Maida Kaderian	George N. and Nevart Kaynakian
15	Kurt Leslie Carvalho	Joseph F. and Carol J. McHowell
15	Kevin Manuel Carvalho	Joseph F. and Carol J. McHowell
17	Brett Cabot Williams	Thomas A. and Joan A. Williams
17	Ryan Keith VanBuskirk	Frank R. and Mary E. Corbett
19	Alison Claire Fanjoy	Phillip J. and Jacqueline C. Boulet
19	David Charles Wagner	Konrad J. and Eileen T. Freeman
20	John Edward Lovett	Robert E. and Sherrill S. Fisher
21	Gregory Wilfred Dugay	Dennis A. and Caroline Weddleton
May:		
4	Joseph Richard Mazza	Joseph F. and Elizabeth A. Larsson
11	Dawn Nicole Williams	Warren M. and Lillian A. Goode
12	Suzanne Elizabeth Connelly	Arthur P. and Judith M. Donnelly
15	Daniel John Sinkiewicz	John S. and Kathleen M. Sullivan
18	Debra Lee Smith	Weldon S. and Eileen T. Cronin
22	Steven Philip Hayward	Harry E. and Virginia L. Hatchfield
22	Nancy Lee Norcross	Philip V. and Catherine O'Connor
25	Jennifer Lynn Crabbe	Richard W. and Elizabeth A. Greiner
29	Michael Thomas Murray	Thomas J. and Marie R. Carvalho
30	Graham MacKenzie Smith	MacKenzie and Jeannine M. Sullivan
31	Kenneth Andrew Shackleton	John D. and Alice Lery
June:		
1	Katherine Ann Burt	Stanley W. and Ann M. Spillane
2	Thomas Walsh Grant	John E. and Willa H. Richards
2	Jeffrey Scott Shobert	Larry L. and Marlene R. Heberts
3	Robyne Owena Haskins	James F. and Pauline L. Barnes
8	John Andrew Cronin	Alfred W. Jr. and Susan E. McKenna
10	Derek James Varney	Walter J. and Karen M. Rollins
13	Susan Marie Romanelli	Paul E. and Louise A. McFadyen
14	Jill Marie Northrup	Charles A. and Elaine M. Correa
14	James Edward McCarty	Edward P. and Grace R. Fox
14	Kimberly Ray Ruth Macdonald	Winslow P. Sr. and Ernestine I. Russell
19	Barry Michael Greene	Michael J. and Elizabeth M. O'Connor
21	Douglas Jason Wallace	Raymond A. and Geraldine E. Leonard
24	Mosher	John P. and Nancy F. Marathas

Date	Name of Child	Parents' Names (Maiden Name of Mother)
June:		
25	Maryanne Baker	Kenneth F. and Maria Nikiforow
26	Douglas Michael Obenhaus	Robert E. and Betty L. Ragland
26	Seanne Elizabeth Sullivan	Albert W. and Rosemary E. Ford
28	Dawn Michele Coffey	Herbert F. and Velma J. Wyman
30	Brian Terrence O'Neill	Gerard M. and Janet F. Reardon
July:		
2	John David Peters	David W. and Barbara J. Hewlett
3	Susan Lynn K'Sepka	John G. and Marjorie M. Brockway
5	Henry James Talbot	Henry G. and Barbara A. Thornton
5	Thomas Andrew Raymo	Chester T. and Maureen D. Sterett
6	Leslie Ruth DiLorenzo	Edward A. and Lois A. Gardner
6	James Joseph Tardanico	Joseph P. Jr. and Sandra A. Derby
11	Michelle Anne Raffaele	Joseph A. and Rita M. Hurley
12	David Joseph Jennings	Wayne C. and Isabel Navarro
15	Thomas Edward Thurston	William A. and Nancy J. Bynarowicz
19	James Michael Reynolds	James P. and Linda R. Brauner
21	Daniel Christopher Keleher	Daniel C. Jr. and Rosemary C. Tellier
23	David Arthur Glover	William J. and Yvonne L. Svensson
24	Pamela Ann Gay	John W. and Carol A. Bolster
30	Eric Ryan Lindstrom	Henry E. and Susan R. Rinehart
August:		
4	Deana Marie Travers	Donald P. and Diane A. Birman
5	Lauren Shelburne Olsen	William N. and Sandra S. Smithers
5	Denise Lynn Re	Charles W. and Rita Sparanges
7	Karen Ann Fowler	Richard R. and Susan K. Darcy
8	Brian Philip Cave	Philip A. and Ann L. Santoro
11	Stephen John D'Arpino	John A. and Carolyn L. Holbrook
17	Lynn Marie Melin	John D. and Beverly A. Burrill
22	Thomas Wayne Baird	Wayne T. and Linda J. Gaziano
24	Stuart William Trosky	William J. and Judith B. Christie
25	Matthew Lawrence Hart	Michael R. and Eileen G. Bernstein
28	Daniel Robert MaDan	Francis C. and Karen E. Leonard
30	Marion Lee Bergeron	Donald L. and Marion C. Harris
September:		
2	Kristen Louise Emerson	Alan W. and Laurel D. Gardner
3	Richard Gary Wood II	Richard G. and Sandra Birnie
5	Brenda Alma Rohdin	David M. and Marilyn A. Schofield
7	John Joseph Pitta, Jr.	John J. and Loretta A. Gregory
17	Brian Balfour Lee	David S. and Lennie I. Straffin
17	James Francis Whittaker	Francis E. and Beverly A. Johnston
17	Patrick Joseph Hegarty	Robert P. and Louise F. McCarthy
19	Karin Lyn Winship	Warren E. and Linda J. Zaiser
23	Robert Anthony Herlihy	Walter K. and Veronica M. Green
25	Jennifer Lee Medeiros	John P. and Pauline M. Genga
25	Paul Christopher Trask	Peter and Claire L. Mowatt
26	James Brendan Reilly	William E. Jr. and Rose M. DiRusso
26	Tami Jean Spearin	Frederick G. and Lorene F. Fenton
27	Edward Arthur Harkins, Jr.	Edward A. and Patricia A. Backlund
29	Robert John Tyler	John A. and Judith A. Cirello
30	Heather Christine Cram	Edward A. Jr. and Kathleen L. Walsh
October:		
1	Gregory Flynn Paul	Frank J. and Maeve E. Flynn
4	Julie Ann Burroughs	Donald J. and Sharon L. Swanson
5	Karen Jean Wales	John W. and Carol E. Masterson

Date	Name of Child	Parents' Names (Maiden Name of Mother)
October:		
6	Michelle Marie Hammond	Melvin C. and Joanne M. Rosati
6	Edward Kenneth Walters II	Edward K. and Diane McLaughlin
6	Joseph Louis Smedberg	Herbert G. and Bernadette Pfeil
7	Jennifer Lee Sheehan	Thomas P. and Linda A. McCormack
8	Gretchen Mary Taylor	Robert L. Jr. and Katherine M. Manning
8	Kathleen Margaret Burns	James K. and Dorothy J. Cullity
9	Kevin Richard Roney	Charles R. and Joan C. Linehan
10	Raymond Andrew Harvey	Elmer R. and Suzann K. Beck
23	Marie Cardillo	Gerard L. and Marie Barossi
25	Faith Alexander Coulter	Charles W. and Barbara E. Reed
25	Lynn Marie Paquette	Roger J. and Patricia A. Taylor
29	Julie Lynn Anderson	Lambert M. and Rosemary A. Sabin
30	Timothy Richard Jones	Eugene J. and Patricia A. Doyle
31	Mark William Nangeroni	Robert J. and Carol J. Vergnani
November:		
4	Katherine Marie Churchill	Robert D. and Nancy M. Pickering
6	Michael Allen Miller	Roger A. and Janet L. Carlson
9	John Thomas O'Donnell	Thomas F. Jr. and Donna L. Sylvia
9	Erin Murray Downey	Thomas and Lorraine M. Santos
10	Kathleen Anne McDavitt	Thomas J. and Mary E. Williams
11	Brian Alexander Woodhouse	David and Jeanne P. Corcoran
16	Andrew John Larson	Walter C. and Harriet J. Andrews
19	Carol Ann Miller	John A. and Joan M. Burke
21	Christopher James Grant	Walter M. and Sharon L. Waller
22	Susanne Hegarty	James K. and Paula H. Johnson
24	Colleen Lisa Harkins	Kerry F. and Margaret M. Sweeney
24	Brenda Marie Bowden	Allan D. and Barbara I. Annis
25	Derek Todd Sajdyk	Theodore F. and Penelope D. Price
26	Marian Clare O'Donnell	James A. and Maureen E. Lyddy
30	Joanne Bessie Olsen	Ralph M. and Muriel M. Baggs
December:		
1	Richard Vernon Johnson	Richard J. and Candace A. White
2	Kurt David Edward Betzer	David W. and Carol A. Cruickshank
3	Cynthia Jean MacPherson	David N. and Jean A. Lewis
3	Darleen Allison Douglas	Lawrence M. and Joyce M. Smith
4	Nancy Elizabeth Ierardo	Dino T. and Joyce M. Wright
5	Richard Warren Maloney	Francis W. and Eileen D. Kazules
5	Christopher Lee Gonsalves	Dennis J. and Phyllis Paradis
12	Colleen Ann Barry	John J. and Judith A. Machini
15	Christine Ann Conant	Philip A. and Barbara A. Seitz
16	Chappell	Bruce E. and Carol J. Ripley
18	Kathleen Kimberly Joyce	Paul M. and Karen B. Schulz
19	Holly Anne Piantoni	Louis A. and Mary R. Grant
19	Suzanne Isabel Gouveia	Noe F. and Wilma V. Randall
21	Sandra Elizabeth Tradd	Michael F. and Brenda E. Jones
21	Dean William Peterson	Neal D. and Joyce I. Henderson
27	Lillian Marie Thompson	Roy V. and Nancy J. Johnson
28	Tara Lorraine Nixon	William F. and Helen D. Nichols
30	Scot Kevin Peterson	Emery E. and Linda M. Bates

Marriages Registered in Easton in 1970

January:

- 2 Andrew T. Clark of Easton and Sally P. Golder of West Bridgewater.
- 3 Robert P. Millette of Easton and Kathleen T. Clinton of Stoughton.
- 10 Ralph E. Philbrick, Jr. of Easton and Edna J. Adams of East Bridgewater.
- 17 James M. Azevedo of Easton and Wanda B. Eaton of Easton.
- 23 Charles E. Holmes of Plympton and Clarice Sweezey of Easton.
- 28 James M. Blye of Easton and Mary G. Gonsalves of Easton.
- 31 John E. Wood, Jr. of Worcester and Kathryn M. McGinley of Pennsylvania.
- 31 Jeffrey S. Powell of Stoughton and Ellen G. Johnson of Stoughton.

February:

- 7 David C. Jacobson of Easton and Cynthia M. Grant of Easton.
- 14 Karlton A. Kavka of Easton and Patricia Cogswell of Stoughton.
- 14 Stephen Trombly of Brockton and Judith Himes of Easton.
- 14 Gary W. Mitchell of Brockton and Patricia Azevedo of Easton.
- 15 Eric P. Andrus of Easton and Janet T. Wohlen of Easton.
- 28 Christopher C. Marshall of Seekonk and Victoria J. Rhodes of Easton.

March:

- 6 Benjamin F. Hathaway of Easton and Beverly Clegg of Easton.
- 7 Patrick M. Grasso of Stoughton and Lillian F. Groom of Easton.
- 20 Norman Dresser of Stoughton and Patricia O'Meara of Easton.
- 21 Richard I. Jennings of Easton and Jean M. Ferrara of Easton.
- 28 Joel W. Reed of Attleboro and Jean F. Woodworth of Easton.

April:

- 4 Richard Freeman of Easton and Susan Wells of Brockton.
- 4 George E. Lamarre of Attleboro and Susan M. Craig of Easton.
- 11 E. George Khoury of Brockton and Cynthia VanVloten of Easton.
- 11 Anthony F. Teixeira of Easton and Lorraine F. Ouimet of North Attleboro.
- 11 Walter B. O'Brian of Rockland and Lillian E. Weisensale of Rockland.
- 12 James F. Todd of Easton and Kathleen M. Dolan of East Walpole.
- 12 George Luke of Easton and Deborah Coe of Easton.
- 12 William Furlong of Rhode Island and Gay E. Sherr of Easton.
- 17 Martin Moberg of Easton and Norma Gamache of Taunton.
- 17 Michael F. Sheehan of Brockton and Karen M. Demling of Easton.
- 18 Jerome D. Fitzgerald of Norwell and Linda A. Styren of Easton.
- 25 George E. Dupont of Easton and Dorothy L. MacNeill of Brockton.
- 25 Ronald L. Thompson of Roxbury and Carol A. DeCouto of Easton.
- 25 Donald W. Obitz of Brockton and Lynn R. Sylvester of Easton.

May:

- 2 Myles A. Boone of Easton and Virginia W. Hackwell of Easton.
- 2 Gerald M. Marshall of Taunton and Linda L. Botts of Easton.
- 2 Russell L. DiBase of Brockton and Beverly J. Chadbourne of Easton.
- 7 Darrell Figueredo of Taunton and Kay Bystrom of Easton.
- 9 Thomas M. Flaherty of Quincy and Eleanor M. St. George of Easton.

May:

- 22 Dennis Gonsalves of Brockton and Phyllis Paradis of Easton.
- 22 Gregg W. Davis of East Bridgewater and Katherine A. Greeley of Easton.
- 23 Walter E. Fittoon of Easton and Theresa Neary of Stoughton.
- 23 Alfred F. Urowicz of East Bridgewater and Susan M. Chace of Easton.
- 29 David W. Coggon of Easton and Angela M. DiNicola of East Bridgewater.
- 29 David Hallet of Easton and Denese Pulsinelli of Brockton.
- 30 Charles E. Chase of Medford and Margaret F. Mone of Easton.

June:

- 5 Donald G. Rumrill of Whitman and Diane M. Murray of Easton.
- 6 Michael P. Mack of Brockton and Donna M. Bergeron of Easton.
- 6 Roy V. Thompson of Easton and Nancy J. Johnson of Brockton.
- 6 Gary W. Thomas of Easton and Joyce E. Wilson of East Bridgewater.
- 6 Chester F. Melberg, Jr. of Stoughton and Nancy J. Rollins of Easton.
- 13 Robert D. Smith of Brockton and Jeanne A. Nowokunski of Easton.
- 14 Randolph F. Libby of Maine and Marcia A. Smith of Easton.
- 14 Edward A. Ready of Easton and Lucille Dostoomian of Easton.
- 18 Stephen F. Thomas of Easton and Patricia A. Cheever of Holbrook.
- 19 James J. LeMar of Brockton and Sally A. Fleming of Easton.
- 20 Michael D. Sullivan of Easton and Florence Cardalisco of Brighton.
- 20 Edmund J. Tarala, Jr. of Easton and Carol M. LaLiberte of Brockton.
- 20 Walter L. Thompson of Easton and June M. Bump of Easton.
- 20 Lawrence J. Smith of Easton and Pamela B. Burnell of Brockton.
- 21 Stephen J. Bodio of Easton and Bronwen J. Fullington of Newton.
- 22 Charles P. Edlund, Jr. of Easton and Edith M. Lindstrom of Easton.
- 23 Charles E. Dompier of Easton and Sandra I. Hardy of West Quincy.
- 28 James L. Brammer of Kansas and Marjorie A. Sylvester of Easton.
- 28 Joseph Lainey of Easton and Carol A. Sousa of Brockton.
- 28 Weston M. Sarty of Easton and Elizabeth L. Parry of Lakeville.

July:

- 1 Stephen C. Smith of Rhode Island and Susan E. Thomas of Easton.
- 4 Albert A. Testa of Brockton and Christine M. Moore of Easton.
- 11 John C. Lindstrom of Easton and Janice M. Forest of Brockton.
- 11 James T. Ferreira of Taunton and Carol L. Harlow of Easton.
- 12 Leo B. MacVarish of Easton and Catherine Hall of Hanson.
- 19 Thomas C. Traina of Winchester and Janice A. MacLeod of Easton.
- 24 Charles D. Robillard of Easton and Janet M. Andrews of Brockton.
- 25 Frank F. Ernst of Easton and Linda M. McMahon of Brockton.
- 25 John R. Deagle of Stoughton and Gail F. Breer of Easton.
- 25 Gerard P. Burke of Boston and Mae P. Bergeron of Boston.
- 31 Gerald K. Hill of Easton and Alice A. Burt of East Mansfield.

August:

- 1 Francis C. Allen of Easton and Lois H. Broadbent of Westport Point.
- 1 Ernest G. Demaine of Plymouth and Susan I. Whitman of Easton.
- 1 Dean A. Charter of Acton and Marcia A. Urolatis of Easton.
- 1 Albert G. Castoldi of Newton and Linda M. Wolak of Easton.
- 1 Scott A. Adrian of Virginia and Anne M. Marcellino of Wareham.
- 2 John S. Forte of Brockton and Christina A. Harvey of Easton.
- 3 Carl A. Chace of Easton and Alice B. Stewart of Easton.
- 8 Thomas A. Schmid of Quincy and Joyce H. Slavitz of Easton.
- 8 Edgar F. Moberg of Easton and Aurelia A. DiGiacomo of Somerville.

August:

- 8 Vito Paparo of Easton and Judith A. Correia of Easton.
- 15 William J. Swift, Jr. of Stoughton and Priscilla A. Ross of Easton.
- 15 Emerson M. Howard, Jr. of Easton and Janet K. Fuller of Brockton.
- 15 Roy W. Carlson of Easton and Elizabeth P. Clarke of New Hampshire.
- 21 Alfred Antinarelli of Stoughton and Florence Fernandes of Easton.
- 23 David F. Dybvig of Ohio and Deborah K. Chisholm of Easton.
- 23 Michael C. Colitti of Westwood and Mary E. Skahill of Easton.
- 23 John R. Pearson of Easton and Ivy M. Spencer of Needham Heights.
- 29 Wilson W. Whitty of Foxboro and Phyllis E. Johnson of Easton.
- 29 Robert A. Powers of Easton and Nancy J. Wells of Randolph.
- 29 Joseph F. Molloy of Milton and Carole E. Peterson of Brockton.
- 29 Thomas L. Lyons of Brockton and Jennifer A. Preece of Brookline.
- 30 Michael B. Wolf of New York and Barbara E. Bush of Easton.

September:

- 4 Gerald A. Silva of Easton and Flora R. Clayton of Rockland.
- 5 Larry C. Ladd of Gardner and Karen L. Lewis of Easton.
- 5 James M. Couch of Tennessee and Judy A. Monk of Hanover.
- 6 Steven D. Beaucaire of Easton and Deborah A. Perkins of East Bridgewater.
- 11 Richard W. Teed of Raynham and Diane M. Quigley of Raynham.
- 12 Stephen F. Murphy of Abington and Barbara A. Buckley of Easton.
- 19 Alden B. Sarty of Easton and Patricia A. Kent of Easton.
- 19 Barry P. McSweeney of Newton and Linda C. Johnson of Easton.
- 20 Lawrence G. Rosenquist of Easton and Diane C. Goodwin of Brockton.
- 26 Henry J. Webber of Easton and Judith A. Olson of Brockton.
- 27 Paul R. Riccelli of Easton and Sherrol J. Teixeira of Brockton.

October:

- 2 Earl F. Johnson of Stoughton and Kathleen Polacco of Stoughton.
- 3 Paul J. LaBelle of Brockton and Claudia M. LeFort of Easton.
- 3 Arthur R. Trofimovics of Stoughton and Susan D. Small of Easton.
- 9 Donald Meade of Easton and Carol Anderson of Brockton.
- 10 Ralph D. Finlayson of Easton and Mary C. Smith of Brockton.
- 10 Wayne A. Nobrega of Easton and Mary J. Gray of Easton.
- 11 Brian W. Mandeville of Easton and Virginia Benjamin of Abington.
- 11 Elmer G. Harlow of Easton and Phyllis M. Stoddard of Easton.
- 16 Thomas E. Holmes of Easton and Diane M. Bowden of Easton.
- 17 Warren F. Dahlin, Jr. of Stoughton and Michele A. DelColliano of Easton.
- 17 David E. Spencer of Brockton and Cheryl A. Marshall of Easton.
- 24 George Joseph, Jr. of Stoughton and Joanne M. Andrews of Easton.
- 30 Raymond E. Boucher, Sr. of West Bridgewater and Blanche Armando of Brockton.
- 31 Charles H. Guy of Medfield and Mary J. Farrell of Easton.

November:

- 6 Waino W. Tuominen, Jr. of So. Weymouth and Dianne E. Cushing of Easton.
- 7 Sidney L. Southworth of Easton and Linda J. Brown of Avon.
- 14 Carl B. Smith III of New York and Patricia A. Phair of Easton.
- 14 Michael A. Deree of Easton and Christine A. Brennen of Pembroke.
- 14 Frederick C. Rego, Jr. of Norton and Karen A. Willis of Easton.
- 14 Robert Previti of Easton and Karen Leeper of Waltham.
- 15 Thomas E. Olliff, Jr. of Easton and Rosemary A. Gallant of Easton.

November:

- 21 Larry A. Dale of Easton and Denise Dostoomian of Easton.
- 27 Warren L. Fabian, Sr. of Easton and Sandra L. Moore of Easton.
- 28 John J. Reilly, Jr. of Easton and Karen F. Dixon of Brockton.

December:

- 1 Ronald R. Brown of Easton and Barbara R. Lee of Easton.
- 6 Edward G. Dyer of Easton and Cheryl L. Duhamel of Brockton.
- 10 Wayne R. Flanders of Brockton and Jane E. McCarthy of Brockton.
- 19 Timothy E. Canavan of Brockton and Jeanne Fernandes of Easton.
- 20 John V. Mitchell of Mansfield and Diane Sawyer of Easton.
- 26 David R. Barwell of Australia and Mary L. Preble of Easton.
- 27 Louis Nisenbaum of Easton and Susan C. Becker of Connecticut.

Deaths Registered in Easton in 1970

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Cause of Death
1970					
January:					
1	T. Edwin Niemi	88			Cerebral Thrombosis
6	Jennie M. Goss	87	9	11	Arterio Sclerotic Heart
20	Angelina Rapozo	68	11	24	Broncho-pneumonia
31	Olive Marion Sprague	72	8	4	Myocardial Infarction
February:					
14	Emanuel G. Serepetsakis	79			Acute Myocardial Infarction
22	Jacob Olie	74	5	10	Acute Myocardial Infarction
March:					
13	Anna Jaques	78	8	14	Cerebrovascular Hemorrhage
16	Minnie Adeline Burrell	83	4	24	Acute Renal Failure
17	John Kingston	70			Bilateral Brancho Pneumonia
19	Paul Starbird Brewer	58	6	1	Adeno Carcinoma of Lung
26	Gladys Wilson Alger	74	2	9	Cerebral Hemorrhage
28	Ida Jacobson	90	5	4	Acute Congestive Heart Failure
29	Baby Girl Victoria		1	Hour	Cardiac Arrest
30	Joseph Correia	81	0	13	Cerebrovascular Accident
April:					
5	Mary R. Pontes	84	6	23	Asphyxia due to smoke inhalation
6	Baby Girl Cushman	15	Minutes		Brain Damage
7	Helen J. Cleary	65	10	29	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
11	Frederick Villa	61	4	8	Carcinomatosis
22	Sara E. Tuttle	76	3	11	Cerebral Arteriosclerosis
24	Ruby Florence Nilson	76	7	7	Carcinomatosis
24	Laura Lamson	89	2	2	Cerebral Arteriosclerotic Disease
25	Clinton V. Rohdin	85	4	28	Cerebral Thrombosis
26	Gladys M. Perry	77	5	11	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
28	Roger Lucius Varnum	62	4	6	Acute Myocardial Infarction
28	Roger Louis Baker	48	11	2	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
May:					
7	Francis Xavier Deveney	59	0	7	Bronchopneumonia
12	Marie T. Di Louie	62	9	19	Liver Cirrhosis
20	Florence L. Bond	65	1	26	Congestive Heart Failure
25	Harry F. Blish	69	0	20	Bronchopneumonia
28	John W. Chillingworth	82	4	8	Carcinoma of Gall Bladder
29	Grace A. Kent	79	5	29	Cerebral Thrombosis

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Cause of Death
June:					
8	Carl John Hanson	82	7	8	Cerebral Thrombosis
17	Bruce Young	23	5	3	Diabetes Mellitus
19	William L. Moulton	88	4	5	Bronchopneumonia
19	Della J. Kennedy	69	7	27	Bronchopneumonia
23	Margaret Theresa Watt	82	29		Congestive Heart Failure
24	Michael J. Canty	80	1	11	Inanition
July:					
1	Mary V. Fitzgerald	85	10	15	Pulmonary Embolus
2	Horace Hurst Mitchell	81	4	25	Acute Myocardial Infarction
5	Helen J. Jeffrey	77	6	22	Cerebral Infarction
8	Lawton J. Boudreau	69	7	13	Carcinoma of Lung
9	Walter J. Kean	81	11	23	Coronary Sclerosis presumed
22	Dale R. Fitzgibbon	20	8	22	Automobile Accident
22	Philip John Comstock	21	5	12	Automobile Accident
25	Ruth Ripley	96	7	0	Cerebral Thrombosis
30	Maynard Alden Walker	69	4	25	Cerebral Thrombosis
August:					
10	Amanda Lindquist	86	6	16	Pulmonary Edema
16	Annie Florence White	93	5	10	Bronchopneumonia
18	Letitia Maude Grant	83	2	16	Hypertensive Heart Disease
19	Joseph E. Galvin	61	1	1	Myocardial Infarction
23	Winifred Jean Legon	39	9	22	Automobile Accident
25	Hugh Riordan	83	7	27	Pulmonary Embolus
26	David Libertov	78			Automobile Accident
28	Neil George Bagge	17	3	23	Accident
September:					
2	Thomas Russell Fox	78		12	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
6	Harding C. Reynolds	49	10	26	Coronary Thrombosis
13	Denis Christopher Brophy	76	5	4	Uremia
21	Arthur F. Anderson	83	7	20	Carcinomatosis
22	Carl W. Erickson	82	2	9	Cerebral Hemorrhage
22	Godfrey E. Anderson	83	0	12	Complete Heart Block
26	Minnie Fernandes	82	7	4	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
27	James L. Caseley	80	7	6	Acute Myocardial Infarction
October:					
3	Eileen Mary Peabody	24	5	11	Automobile Accident
4	Everett D. Clark	78	7	25	Uremia
22	George William Kennedy	76	1	24	Myocardial Infarction
November:					
5	Mary Randall	87	11	0	Intestinal Obstruction
11	Rosetta Reardon	77	9	11	Uremia
25	Charles Williams	64	4	13	Cerebral Hemorrhage
26	Ernest A. Chase	76	5	26	Ruptured Aortic Aneurysm

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Cause of Death
December:					
2	Andrew G. McNamara	88	7	14	Myocardial Infarction
3	Edward Cruickshank	57	8	15	Acute Myocardial Infarction
3	Thomas C. Brophy	68		4	Cardiac Arrest
11	Muriel A. Brady	59	10	14	Metastatic Carcinoma of the Breast
25	Harrison Cyrus Robbins	87	4	16	Cerebral Hemorrhage
26	Daniel Madan		3	28	Acute Fulminating Viral Pneumonia

DOG LICENSES

Issued December 1, 1969 to November 30, 1970 inclusive.

Individual Licenses	1,035
Kennel Licenses	25
Transfer Licenses	1
	1,061

The above licenses are shown in detail:

603 Males	@	\$2.00	\$1,026.00
101 Females	@	5.00	505.00
331 Spayed Females	@	2.00	662.00
18 Kennels	@	10.00	180.00
3 Kennels	@	25.00	75.00
4 Kennels	@	50.00	200.00
1 Transfer	@	.25	.25
1061			\$2,828.25
Deducted for fees	1,061	@ .25	265.25
			\$2,563.00
Dogs Sold			102.00
Total Paid to County of Bristol			\$2,665.00

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,

Town Clerk

HUNTING, FISHING, AND TRAPPING LICENSES 1970

302	Resident Citizen Fishing	@ \$	5.25	\$1,585.50
127	Resident Citizen Hunting	@	5.25	666.75
147	Resident Citizen Sporting	@	8.25	1,212.75
55	Resident Citizen Minor Fishing	@	3.25	178.75
55	Resident Citizen Female Fishing	@	4.25	233.75
1	Resident Citizen Minor Trapping	@	3.25	3.25
4	Resident Citizen Trapping	@	8.75	35.00
1	Non-Resident Citizen Hunting	@	16.25	16.25
* 5	Duplicate	@	.50	2.50
5	Archery Deer Stamp	@	1.10	5.50
* 54	Resident Citizen Sporting	Free		.00
* 11	Military	Free		.00
767				\$3,940.00

Fees for 692 Licenses	@	.25	\$173.00
Fees for 5 Deer Stamps	@	.10	.50

To Town Treasurer	\$173.50
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To Division of Fisheries and Game	\$3,766.50
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* No Fees Allowed

The total number of licenses for each of the last five years was as follows:

1966	577
1967	649
1968	692
1969	746
1970	767

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk

Warrants and Proceedings
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1970
ANNUAL TOWN WARRANT
MARCH 16, 1970

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BRISTOL, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Easton in the County of Bristol.

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Easton qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium in said Easton on Monday, the 16th day of March, next, at 8:00 P.M. then and there to act upon the following Articles:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors, Board of Health, Water Commissioners, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, School Committee, Town Accountant, Tree Warden and any committee of the Town and take action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the Town charges for the ensuing year, including the salaries of the several elective officers of the Town and make appropriations for the same.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day and Armistice Day to be expended under the direction of Elijah A. Morse Camp, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War; George S. Shepard Post No. 7, American Legion; George F. Schindler, Post No. 2547, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial years beginning January 1, 1970 and January 1, 1971, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Article 5. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to instruct the assessors to use from surplus revenue to reduce the tax levy for the current year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate for highway purposes, such sums as may be necessary for maintenance, improvement and construction of streets within the Town, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County for the purpose, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Moth Superintendent in Control Work against the Dutch Elm Disease.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 1970 Chipper for the Tree and Moth Departments and to apply a 1955 Chipper towards the purchase price of same, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$19,348.71 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, said sum of money being the amount to be credited to the Town under Section 5 of Chapter 768 of the Acts of 1969, and to be used only to reimburse the Town for funds expended for the purpose of reconstruction, maintenance and repair of public highways and bridges, and of the enforcement of traffic laws for the calendar year nineteen hundred and seventy, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$6,449.57 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, said sum of money being the amount apportioned to the Town of Easton under Section 4 of Chapter 768 of the Acts of 1969, and to expend said sum of money in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 768 for Highway projects approved by the Department of Public Works, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a Cab and Chassis for the Highway Department and to apply a 1957 GMC Cab and Chassis towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a Sander for the Highway Department and to apply a 1959 Sander towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a four wheel drive low body Dump Truck with Plow for the Highway Department and to apply a 1959 Pick-up Truck towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to reconstruct and resurface Dean Street, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the necessary materials for the construction of 90 highway speed signs, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a chain link fence for Queset Brook and headers, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two new cruisers for the Police Department and to apply two of the motor vehicles of said Department towards the purchase price of the same and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Fire Chief to appoint eight additional permanent firemen to the Fire Department in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 42, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new car for the Fire Chief and to apply the 1967 model Fire Chief's car towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a continuing committee consisting of the Fire Chief and four other citizens of the Town, to be known as the "Fire Department Equipment Committee", to make a continuing annual survey of the equipment needs of the Fire Department, said committee to report its findings and recommendations at each subsequent annual Town Meeting, or at any Special Town Meeting called for Fire Department purposes, with vacancies in said committee to be filled from time to time by the Moderator, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a drain on Foundry Street near Poquanticut Avenue, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Clerk and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of the same.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Treasurer and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of the same.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of one Mosler Record Safe, or equal, for the Town Clerk's Office and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 41, Section 21, to include in the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting of 1971 a question to be placed on the official Ballot in the following form: "Shall the Town vote to have its Selectmen appoint Cemetery Commissioners?" (to be voted Yes or No) or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to replace hydrants on Washington Street, from Dailey's Corner to the Stoughton line, and to allocate monies already accredited to the Water Department a sum of money to cover costs, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to search for a new supply of water and to test such supplies if found, and to allocate from monies already accredited to the Water Department a sum of money to cover cost, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from monies already credited to the Water Department to the Bonded Indebtedness Account, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to set a certain rate per linear foot as a rate of assessment to be charged to abutters on public ways for the construction of water mains as authorized by Chapter 40 of General Laws, Section 42G to 42I inclusive, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to amend the by-laws of the Town by repealing in its entirety the Section 6 of Article I (town meetings) of said by-laws, pertaining to "Reconsideration" of Articles at a Town Meeting, and by inserting in said Article I the following new section:

Section 7. "After any Article contained in the Warrant of a special or annual Town Meeting has been once voted upon by those present and voting at such a meeting, "Reconsideration" of the Article may be moved only on the same day that said Article has been originally considered and voted upon",

or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing and originally equipping the several well pumps of the Water Department with such machinery and additives as necessary to increase the fluoride content of the public water system to one part per million (1.0 PPM) as recommended by the State Department of Public Health and the Easton Board of Health, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to increase the number of members of the Board of Selectmen from three (3) to five (5) members and at the annual Town Election of 1971 two persons will be elected for a term of three (3) years

and one person will be elected for a term of two (2) years, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint an Administrative Assistant along the guide lines as set forth in the report of the Town Government Study Committee and to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the salary and expenses of same, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to place on the official ballot for the Town Election of 1971 the following question: Shall the Town vote to have its Board of Selectmen act as the Board of Health (Yes or No), or to take any other action thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to have the Board of Selectmen appoint the members of the Planning and Zoning Board in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 81A of the General Laws, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to have the Board of Selectmen appoint the members of the Recreation Commission in accordance with Chapter 45, Section 14 of the General Laws, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Town Government Study Committee as authorized under Article 33 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting of 1969, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the continuation of the "Sewerage Study Committee" appointed under Article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of September 8, 1969, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the expenses of the "Sewerage Study Committee" in continuing its studies of the future sewerage disposal needs of the Town, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Sewerage Study Committee to file in behalf of the inhabitants of the Town, an application in form and manner required by the United States Government, and in conformity with Public Law 560, 83rd Congress as amended by Public

Law 345, 84th Congress and do whatever else may be required to obtain an interest-free loan to be made by the United States to the Town of Easton to defray the cost for a comprehensive engineering report upon a proposed town-wide sewerage system, and to expend the same in a manner as decided by the Sewerage Study Committee; said report to be prepared by a competent engineering firm selected and employed by the Sewerage Study Committee, and said funds received from the United States to be received by and administered by the Town Treasurer under the direction of the Sewerage Study Committee, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to rebuild the leaching field at the Parkview School, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Phillip Pierce for his reasonable expenses while in attendance at the Brockton Police Academy during June and July 1968, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Leonard Nordbeck for his reasonable expenses while in attendance at the Brockton Police Academy during February and March 1968, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Joseph Stepanski for his reasonable expenses incurred while attending the Brockton Police Academy during April 1966, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to adopt as a Building Code for the Town of Easton, the Boca Basic Building Code Fifth Edition, 1970, and any amendments thereto, a copy of said Boca Basic Building Code Fifth Edition 1970 being on file in the Town Clerk's Office, and to repeal the present building code of the Town of Easton, which was

adopted under Article 20 of the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting of March 4, 1957, such repeal to take effect when the new building code proposed herein becomes legally effective, or to take other action relative thereto.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 8A of Chapter 184 of the General Laws, which provides that the Assessors shall, if they have reason to believe that the name and address of the grantee of record in a transfer of real estate, is not the name and address of the owner of the real estate, by written notice, request such grantee to submit the name and address of said owner within five days of the receipt of such notice, and which requires that the Assessors maintain a record of the names and addresses of such owners which shall be open to public inspection, and which provides for a not more than fifty dollar fine for violations of the section, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town by-laws so that Section 9 of Article XIV (personnel administration) is repealed in its entirety and the following new section 9 is substituted therefor:

Section 9. Bereavement Leave.

- A. Each employee shall be granted a leave of absence without loss of pay in the event of a death in his or her immediate family. Such leave shall be up to three (3) days commencing with the date of the death.
- B. For the purposes of this section the term "immediate family" shall mean and include the following: spouse, children, father, mother, sister, brother, father-in-law and mother-in-law.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town by inserting after Section 10 of Article VI (street regulations) the following new section:

Section 11. During the months of January, February, March, and December of each year, no person shall park a motor vehicle on any public way in the Town except in any emergency, for a period of longer than one (1) hour between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. of any day.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-Laws by repealing the present Section 3 of Article

VII (contracts by Town Officers) in its entirety, and substituting therefor the following new Section 3:

Section 3. When the estimated amount of a proposed contract exceeds two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars proposals shall be called for in the manner provided in this section. Such calls for proposals shall be advertised in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, with such publication to be at least seven days before the opening of the bids. The advertisement shall require such proposals to be sealed and properly designated and shall announce the place, day and hour at which they shall be opened. The bids as received shall be deposited in a box, securely locked, and at the time and place named shall be publicly opened in the presence of the board authorized by the Town to make a contract. As far as practicable, contracts for less than two thousand (\$2,000.00) shall be awarded in such a manner as to secure reasonable competition. The provisions of this section shall not apply to contracts for personal services. Only bids so received shall be considered.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town by repealing Section I of Article I in its entirety, and substituting therefor the following new Section I of Article I:

Section I. "The annual Town Meeting shall be held on the second Saturday of March in each year, and the annual Town election shall be held on the fourth Monday of March in each year."

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town by inserting after Article XVIII the following new Article:

Article XIX — Outdoor Advertising

Section I. No billboards shall be erected or maintained within public view from any street or public way in the Town of Easton by any person, firm, corporation, or other legal entity, with the exception of those billboards defined under Section 2 of this Article.

Section II. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to any Billboards that been legally erected under a license issued by the Outdoor Advertising Division prior to the adoption of this Article.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of entering into a contract with a private common carrier for the furnishing of or the defraying of the cost of public transportation in the Town under the authority granted by Section I of Chapter 456 of the Acts of 1969, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$2,500.00 to keep Oakes Ames Memorial Hall in good order and repair, said sum of money being necessary to pay the maintenance expenses of said Hall in excess of the rental and trust fund income, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 9A, as most recently amended, of Chapter 53 of the General Laws, which provides with respect to nomination papers that the final date for obtaining blank nomination papers for nomination to Town Office shall be forty-eight week day hours prior to the hour on which nomination papers are required to be submitted to the Registrars of voters for certification, and that each candidate shall file with the Town Clerk prior to obtaining nomination papers, a statement containing his name and address and the Town Office for which he intends to be a candidate, and that no such candidate shall receive more blank nomination papers than will contain the number of signatures required to place his name in nomination, multiplied by five.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to lease, for sanitary landfill site purposes, certain parcels of land, owned now or formerly by A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, situated off of Rockland Street and Bay Road, designated as follows on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R5: Lot 49 containing 4.5 acres, more or less; Lot 50 containing 12.00 acres, more or less; Lot 52 containing 21.2 acres, more or less; Lot 57 containing 8.00 acres, more or less, and Lot 58 containing 55.6 acres, more or less, all as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from avail-

able funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes, certain parcels of land owned now or formerly by Trustees of Andavan Realty Trust, situated southeasterly of Prospect Street, designated as follows on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-16, Lot 15 containing 25.8 acres, more or less, Lot 17 containing 10.5 acres, more or less, Lot 23 containing 10.00 acres, more or less, and on Sheet R-20, Lot 33, containing 18.2 acres, more or less, and Lot 34, containing 25.0 acres, more or less, all as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Andavan Realty Trust land to be taken for sanitary land fill site purposes", or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes, certain parcels of land, owned now or formerly by Trustees of Andavan Realty Trust, situated southeasterly of Prospect Street designated as follows on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-16, Lot 15, containing 25.8 acres, more or less; Lot 17, containing 10.5 acres, more or less; Lot 23, containing 10.00 acres, more or less; and on Sheet R-20, Lot 33, containing 18.2 acres more or less; and Lot 34, containing 25.0 acres, more or less; all as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Andavan Realty Trust Land to be taken for Sanitary Land Fill Site purposes", and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes, a certain parcel of land, owned now or formerly by Joseph J. Gill, Jr. situated between Depot Street and Foundry Street, consisting of 30 acres, more or less, being a portion of the land owned

now or formerly by said Joseph J. Gill, and shown on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-11, as Lot 13, and an easement, consisting of the right to pass and re-pass to said 30 acre parcel of land, from Depot Street to Foundry Street, 40 ft., in width, all as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Joseph J. Gill, Jr. land to be taken for sanitary land fill site purposes", or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes, a certain parcel of land, owned now or formerly by Joseph J. Gill, Jr., situated between Depot Street and Foundry Street, consisting of 30 acres, more or less, being a portion of the land owned now or formerly by said Joseph J. Gill, and shown on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-11, as Lot 13, and an easement, consisting of the right to pass and re-pass to said 30 acre parcel of land, from Depot Street to Foundry Street, 40 ft. in width, all as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office, entitled "Plan of Joseph J. Gill, Jr., land to be taken for sanitary land fill site purposes", and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town to lease, for sanitary land fill purposes, a certain parcel of land situated northerly of Dean Street, owned now or formerly by George H. DeWitt & Sons, designated on the Assessors Plans, Sheet R-19, as Lot 10, consisting of 29 acres, more or less, as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the operational costs for a non-burning sanitary land fill site, and the necessary materials therefor, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring mechanical earth moving equipment necessary to operate a non-burning Sanitary Landfill Site, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of closing the existing Town Dump off Baldwin Street and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of retaining a consulting engineering firm to prepare surveys, topographic plans, drainage analyses, and site development plans for Sanitary Land Fill Sites in order to insure sites are satisfactory; to obtain necessary approvals under the General Laws; to provide operational guides and data; and to make periodic inspection of operation and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain for conservation purposes, as requested by the Conservation Commission, a certain parcel of land, sometimes known as the "Williams Lot", consisting of eleven acres, more or less, situated to the west of the Bay Road and lying on the southerly side of "High Plain" so called owned now or, formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Land in Easton owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, to be taken for conservation purposes", or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain for conservation purposes, as requested by the Conservation Commission, a certain parcel

of land sometimes known as the "Williams Lot", consisting of eleven acres, more or less, situated to the west of the Bay Road and lying on the southerly side of "High Plain", so called, owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Land in Easton owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, to be taken for Conservation purposes", and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44, of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 67. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for repairs to the interior of the Town Offices, including the door in the Town Clerk's Office, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 68. To see if the Town will accept as a Deed of Gift for the purpose of a public park a certain parcel of land bordered by Lincoln and Main Streets and known as "The Rockery", Said parcel contains a War Memorial to the citizens of Easton who fought in World War II and the Korean War, or to take any other action pertaining thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 69. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to extend the water mains of not less than six inches on Beaver Dam Road, between Poquanticut Avenue and Bay Road a distance of 3300 feet more or less and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds, or by issuing Bonds or Notes of the Town therefor under provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended, or to take any other action in relation thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to install a water main from Prospect Street down Howard Street, terminating at a point approximately 950 feet, more or less, to cover the residence of Edward F. Mason, 20 Howard Street, South Easton, Mass., and Richard E. Hall, 19 Howard Street, South Easton, Mass., and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by

appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 71. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to extend the water mains on Norton Avenue from the present line east from Old Foundry Street to Foundry Street (Route 123), a distance of 1900 feet, more or less, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 72. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to extend the water mains from the present main on Foundry Street (Route 123) from its present terminus at the intersection of Foundry and Old Foundry Streets to the Norton Town line, a distance of 5,800 feet, more or less, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 73. To see if the Town will vote to accept Holly's Lane as a public highway as shown on plans entitled "Section #1 of High Oaks, Easton, Massachusetts", "Plan Section #2 of High Oaks, Easton, Massachusetts", and "Plan Section #3 of High Oaks, Easton, Massachusetts" on file at the Town Clerk's Office and approved by the Planning Board, the fee to said Holly's Lane to be conveyed to the Town by the owner thereof by deed or gift, or to take any other action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 74. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pammy's Path from Summer Street to Holly's Lane to the intersection of Pammy's Path as a public highway, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan Section #3 of High Oaks, Easton, Massachusetts" on file at the Town Clerk's Office, and approved by the Planning Board, or to take any other action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 75. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to survey the Town line between

Norton and the Town of Easton on the west side of Foundry Street (Route 123), or to take any other action relative thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 76. To see if the Town will vote to authorize a Planning Board to place stone bounds on each corner of the industrial zone on Route 106 and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or to take any other action relative thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 77. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law of the Town, the said proposed amendment being set forth in the Article contained below, a copy of said report to be on file in the Town Clerk's Office, or to take any action relative thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 78. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2-3, "Location of Zones" and the "Protective By-Law map of the Town of Easton, dated October 2, 1967", by adding the following paragraph to said Section 2-3 and by amending the Protective By-Law Map in accordance therewith; "the land starting at the corner of Foundry Street and the Easton-Norton line, thence Northwesterly by the Easton-Norton line to Red Mill Road, thence Southeasterly, Northeasterly, Northwesterly, Northeasterly and Northwesterly in line of land of the Town of Easton to Red Mill Road, thence, Northeasterly by the Easterly line of Red Mill Road to Norton Avenue, thence Southeasterly by the Southerly line of Norton Avenue to Foundry Street, thence Southwesterly by the Westerly line of Foundry Street to the Easton-Norton line and the point of beginning, said area being shown as Plots 10 and 8 on Easton Assessors Map R-17 and Plots 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10 and 11 on Easton Assessors Map R-18 and which presently appear on the Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton" as being a single residence zone, and shall be classified and defined on said map as an industrial zone, or to take any other action relative thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 79. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law of the Town, the said proposed amendment being set forth in the article contained below, a copy of said report to be on file in the Town Clerk's Office, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 80. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2-3, "Location of Zones" and the "Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton, dated October 2, 1967", by adding the following paragraph to said Section 2-3 and by amending the Protective By-Law Map in accordance therewith; "the land starting at the corner of Foundry Street and the Easton-Norton line, thence Northwesterly along the Easton-Norton line, 2,255.83 feet, more or less, thence Northeasterly by the Easterly line of land of the Newcomb Home for Old Ladies of Norton, in 5 courses, 1,584.96 feet more or less, to land of the Town of Easton, thence, Southeasterly by the Southerly line of land of the Town of Easton in two courses, 1,200 feet, more or less, thence, Northwesterly by the Easterly line of land of the Town of Easton, 290 feet, more or less, thence, Northeasterly by the Southerly line of land of the Town of Easton, 796.40 feet, more or less, thence Southeasterly by the Westerly line of land of Mary Gavin Wright et als, 430.32 feet, more or less, thence, Northeasterly by the Southerly line of land of said Wright et als, 466.65 feet, more or less, to Foundry Street, thence, Southwesterly by the Westerly line of Foundry Street to the Easton-Norton line and the point of beginning, said area being shown as Plots 8 on Easton Assessors Map R-17 and Plots 9, 10 and 11 on Easton Assessors Map R-18 and which presently appears on the Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton" as being a single residence zone, and shall be classified and defined on said map as an industrial zone, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 81. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for Christmas decorations, trees and lighting, for the Main Street business district, South Easton Green, Monument and Easton Furnaces area, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 82. To see if the Town will vote to accept Baltic Avenue as a public way, as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Subdivision of Land in Easton, Bristol County, Mass." dated November 8, 1965. The fee to said Baltic Avenue to be conveyed to the Town by deed of gift by the owners thereof, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 83. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Easton, qualified to vote in election, residing in Precinct one, to meet at the Harmony Grange Hall; those residing in Precinct two to meet at the Easton Junior High School Auditorium; those residing in Precinct three to meet at the South Easton School House, on Monday the 23rd day of March next at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to bring in their votes all on one ballot for one member of the Board of Assessors, for a term of three years; one Selectman for a term of three years; Moderator for a term of one year; one member of the School Committee for a term of three years; one member of the Board of Health for a term of three years; Tree Warden for a term of one year; one member of the Board of Water Commissioners for a term of three years; one member of the Planning Board for a term of five years; five members of the Finance Committee for a term of three years; one member of the Finance Committee for a term of one year; two members of the Recreation Committee for a term of three years; one member of the Regional School Committee for three years; one member of the Housing Authority for a term of five years, and to vote on the following questions:

QUESTION: Shall the Town purchase additional Group Life and Group Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance for employees in accordance with the provisions of Chapter thirty-two B of the General Laws with no premium contribution by the Town? (To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of Section 11A of Chapter 32B of the General Laws which provides for the above question is as follows:

A majority vote in the affirmative in answer to said question would allow each employee of the Town insured for the minimum amounts of Group Life and Group Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance provided by law to be insured for additional amounts based on such employees annual compensation in accordance with limits set forth in said Section 11A, and with respect to such additional insurance which is taken out by an employee the premium is to be paid by the employee with no contribution to such premium to be made by the Town.

QUESTION: Shall the Town pay one half a premium for Group Accidental Death Insurance for Policemen and Firemen who are killed or who die from accidental injuries

received in the performance of their duties with such employee paying the remaining one half, and shall the Town also pay a subsidiary or additional rate?

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of Section 11D of Chapter 32B of the General Laws which provides for the above question is as follows:

A majority vote in the affirmative in answer to said question would allow the Town to purchase a policy or policies of Group Accidental Death Insurance payable on behalf of a Police Officer or Firefighter who dies as the natural proximate result of a bodily injury accidentally sustained while in the performance of his official duties, and with respect to such accidental death insurance which is in effect for a Policeman or Fireman there shall be withheld from his salary an amount equal to fifty per cent of the premium for said insurance and the Town shall contribute the remaining fifty per cent of said premium together with a payment in full of a subsidiary or additional rate.

QUESTION: "Shall the Town, in addition to the payment of Fifty per cent of a premium for contributory Group Life and Health Insurance for employees in the Service of the Town and their dependents pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of Section 7A of Chapter 32B of the General Laws which provides for the above question is as follows:

A Town which accepts the provisions of this Section by a majority vote in the affirmative in answer to said Question may as a part of the total cost for contributory Group Life and Health Insurance for employees of the Town and their dependents, make payment of a subsidiary or additional amount in addition to the Fifty per cent of the premium of such insurance regularly being paid by such Town.

The polls will be open to 10:00 A.M. and shall be closed at 8:00 o'clock P.M.

You are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at each meeting house and post-office in said Town, and one at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium, and one at the Town Offices, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting, and said Town Clerk is hereby required to make return of this Warrant to the Warden or Deputy Warden at the time and place of holding said meeting for the election of officers, and said Warden is hereby required to make return of this Warrant to the Town Clerk, together with his return of officers elected at the close of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 23rd day of February in the year nineteen hundred and seventy.

ARTHUR H. TUFTS

JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.

CHARLES C. WILLIS

Selectmen of Easton

Annual Town Meeting

MARCH 16, 1970

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator, William F. E. Buchtman at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium. The Moderator declared a quorum to be present. 474 checked in at this time.

It was voted to dispense with the reading of the warrant. Voted to grant permission to the following to attend the meeting; five representatives from the 20th Century Social Studies Classes, Holly Randall, Joanne Looney, Nancy Flynn, Mark Silva, Garry Sullivan, and their advisor, Alan Emerson; Paul Freitas, Paul Aries and Peter O'Connell to handle the microphones and Mrs. Joan Ravede from the Easton Bulletin.

Article 1. Voted to accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors, Board of Health, Water Commissioners, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, School Committee, Town Accountant, Tree Warden.

Article 2. Mr. Roy E. Owens, Chairman of the Finance Committee read the report of the Finance Committee, and discussed the computation of the tax rate. Voted to accept the budget as a whole with the exception of any items that the meeting wished to discuss separately. Mr. Roy E. Owens read each item and gave the meeting a chance to hold up any item to be discussed later. Salaries are to be retro-active.

Raised and Appropriated

Assessors Salaries	\$2,400.00
Clerical Salaries	11,445.00
Assessors Expenses	2,650.00
Capital Budgeting/Stabilization	20,000.00
Election Expense	5,700.00
Finance Committee Expense	100.00
Incidentals	200.00
Moderator's Salary	25.00
Registrars of Voters Salaries	750.00
Clerk of Board	300.00
Registrar's Expense	2,900.00
Selectmen's Salaries	3,600.00
Selectmen's Expense	1,100.00
Selectmen's Clerk's Salary	5,000.00

Selectmen's Extra Clerical	240.00
Selectmen's Overtime	500.00
Selectmen's Office Expense	1,030.00
Engineering Services	5,000.00
Tax Collector's Salary	3,100.00
Tax Collector's Clerk's Salaries	4,150.00
Tax Collector's Extra Clerical Help	1,400.00
Tax Collector's Expense	2,500.00
Town Accountant's Salary	7,650.00
Town Accountant's Extra Clerical Help	100.00
Town Accountant's Expense	600.00
Town Clerk's Salary	1,600.00
Town Clerk's Clerical Salaries	2,000.00
Town Clerk's Extra Clerical Salaries	300.00
Town Clerk's Expense	1,335.00
Town Counsel's Salary	3,000.00
Town Counsel's Expense	300.00
Legal Reserve	800.00
Town Office Expense	7,100.00
Town Office Salaries and Wages	6,215.00
Town Reports	3,652.50
Distribution of Town Reports	250.00
Town Treasurer's Salary	3,300.00
Town Treasurer's Clerical Salaries	3,600.00
Town Treasurer's Extra Clerical Salaries	1,300.00
Town Treasurer's Expense	2,825.00
Animal Inspector's Salary	350.00
Animal Inspector's Expense	300.00
Board of Appeals Expense	950.00
Building Inspector's Salary	1,650.00
Asst. Building Inspector's Salary	1,100.00
Building Inspector's Expense	1,250.00
Civil Defense Salaries	450.00
Civil Defense Expense	2,750.00
Conservation	1,000.00
Dog Officer's Salary	450.00
Dog Officer's Expense	400.00
Care of Dogs	800.00
Fire and Police Building Maintenance	4,000.00
Fire Department Salaries and Wages	131,266.00
Fire Department Expense	15,305.00
Forest Fire Warden's Salary	300.00
Out of State Travel—Fire Training	200.00
Gas Inspector's Salary	700.00

Gas Inspector's Expense	400.00
Insurance Account	45,000.00
Moth Dept. Salaries and Wages	2,399.67
Moth Dept. Expense	1,550.00
Planning Board Clerical Salaries	700.00
Planning Board Expense	1,000.00
Out of State Travel	.00
Police Department Salaries—Base	155,247.00
Police Dept. Salaries and Wages	23,249.00
Court Appearances	5,000.00
Police Department Expense	20,159.00
Out of State Travel	300.00
Recreation Commission Salaries	11,036.00
Recreation Expense	5,920.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures Salary	400.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures Expense	200.00
Tree Department Salaries and Wages	18,250.00
Tree Department Expense	3,060.00
Purchase of Trees	400.00
Wiring Inspector's Salary	1,000.00
Wiring Inspector's Expense	300.00
Board of Health Salaries	900.00
Health Dept. Salaries and Wages	7,588.25
Health Dept. Expense	34,250.76
Hire of Nurses	8,000.00
Highway Dept. Salaries and Wages	98,946.00
Highway Dept. Regular Overtime	1,800.00
Highway Dept. Expense	9,825.00
Snow and Ice Overtime	8,800.00
Snow and Ice Expense	20,000.00
Plowing Cemeteries	100.00
Street Lighting	24,500.00
School Dept. Salaries and Wages	1,963,757.42
School Dept. Expense	452,045.94
Southeastern Reg. Vocational School	116,303.00
Veteran's Agent's Salary	1,965.00
Veteran's Agent's Expense	750.00
Veteran's Benefits	20,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	25,000.00
Historical Commission	294.00
Reserve Fund	30,000.00

**Appropriated From Water Dept. Available Fund
and 1970 Receipts**

Commissioners Salaries	900.00
Water Dept. Clerk's Salary	5,755.00
Water Dept. Salaries and Wages	32,000.00
Water Dept. Extra Clerical Help	1,400.00
Water Dept. Expense	42,300.00

Article 3. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for Memorial Day and Armistice Day to be expended under the direction of Elijah A. Morse Camp, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War; George S. Shepard Post No. 7, American Legion; George F. Schindler, Post No. 2547, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial years beginning January 1, 1970 and January 1, 1971, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Article 5. The article was dismissed.

Article 6. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate for highway purposes, the sum of \$7,000.00 for maintenance, improvement and construction of streets within the Town, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County for the purpose.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,470.00 to be expended by the Moth Superintendent in Control Work against the Dutch Elm Disease.

Article 8. Voted to purchase a 1970 Chipper for the Tree and Moth Departments and to apply a 1955 Chipper towards the purchase price of same, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,185.00 therefor.

Article 9. Voted to accept the sum of \$19,348.71 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, said sum of money being the amount to be credited to the Town under Section 5 of Chapter 768 of the Acts of 1969, and to be used only to reimburse the Town for funds expended for the purpose of

reconstruction, maintenance and repair of public highways and bridges, and of the enforcement of traffic laws for the calendar year nineteen hundred and seventy.

Article 10. Voted to accept the sum of \$6,449.57 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, said sum of money being the amount apportioned to the Town of Easton under Section 4 of Chapter 768 of the Acts of 1969, and to expend said sum of money in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 768 for Highway projects approved by the Department of Public Works.

Article 11. Voted to purchase a Cab and Chassis for the Highway Department and to apply a 1957 GMC Cab and Chassis towards the purchase price of the same and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,299.00 therefor.

Article 12. Voted to purchase a Sander for the Highway Department and to apply a 1959 Sander towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,295.00 therefor.

Article 13. Voted to purchase a four wheel drive low body Dump Truck with Plow for the Highway Department and to apply a 1959 Pick-up Truck towards the purchase price of the same and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,195.00 therefor.

Article 14. The article was dismissed.

Article 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,451.30 to purchase the necessary materials for the construction of 90 highway speed signs.

Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$815.00 to purchase a chain link fence for Queset Brook and headers.

Article 17. Voted to purchase two new cruisers for the Police Department and to apply two of the motor vehicles of said Department towards the purchase price of the same, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,533.00 therefor.

Article 18. Voted to authorize the Fire Chief to appoint four additional permanent firemen to the Fire Department in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 42, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$21,000.00 therefor.

Article 19. The article was not a vote.

Article 20. Voted to authorize the Moderator to appoint a continuing committee consisting of the Fire Chief and four other citizens of the Town, to be known as the "Fire Department Equipment Committee", to make a continuing annual survey of the equipment needs of the Fire Department, said committee to report its findings and recommendations at each subsequent annual Town Meeting, or at any Special Town Meeting called for Fire Department purposes, with vacancies in said committee to be filled from time to time by the Moderator.

Article 21. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,830.40 to install a drain on Foundry Street near Poquanticut Avenue.

Article 22. Voted to increase the salary of the Town Clerk and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the same.

Article 23. Voted to increase the salary of the Town Treasurer and raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to cover the cost of the same.

Article 24. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$3,778.00 from available funds in the Treasury for the purchase of two Mosler Record Safes, or equal, for the Town Clerk's Office.

Article 25. Voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 21, to include in the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting of 1971 a question to be placed on the official Ballot in the following form: "Shall the Town vote to have its Selectmen appoint Cemetery Commissioners?" (to be voted Yes or No)

Article 27. Voted to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to search for a new supply of water and to test such supplies if found, and to allocate from monies already accredited to the Water Department the sum of \$10,000.00 to cover cost.

Article 26. Voted to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to replace hydrants on Washington Street, from Dailey's Corner to the Stoughton line, and to allocate monies already credited to the Water Department the sum of \$4,000.00 to cover costs.

Article 28. Voted to transfer the sum of \$94,100.00 from monies already credited to the Water Department to the Bonded indebtedness Account.

Article 29. Voted to set the rate of \$7.50 per linear foot as a rate of assessment to be charged to abutters on public ways for the construction of water mains as authorized by Chapter 40 of General Laws, Section 42G to 42I inclusive.

Article 30. Voted to amend the by-laws of the Town by repealing in its entirety the Section 6 of Article I (town meetings) of said by-laws, pertaining to "Reconsideration" of Articles at a Town Meeting, and by inserting in said Article I the following new section:

Section 7. "After any Article contained in the Warrant of a special or annual Town Meeting has been once voted upon by those present and voting at such a meeting, "Reconsideration" of the Article may be moved only on the same day that said Article has been originally considered and voted upon".

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 31. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 for the purpose of purchasing and originally equipping the several well pumps of the Water Department with such machinery and additives as necessary to increase the fluoride content of the public water system to one part per million (1.0 PPM) as recommended by the State Department of Public Health and the Easton Board of Health, said sum to be raised and appropriated.

(Yes 203 No 102)

Voted to recess until 8:00 P.M. Wednesday, March 18, 1970 at this same hall. A total of 524 registered voters attended tonight's meeting.

NOTICE OF ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TOWN OF EASTON

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

March 17, 1970

Be it known that the Annual Town Meeting held March 16, 1970 was duly adjourned to Wednesday, March 18, 1970 at eight o'clock p.m. in the Oliver Ames High School Gym-

nasium to see what action the Town will take in respect to Articles 32 through 83 inclusive, and any and all matters that may legally come before the meeting.

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk of Easton

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 18, 1970

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator, William F. E. Buchtman, at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium. 405 registered voters have been checked in at this time. Mr. Buchtman read the notice of Adjourned Annual Town Meeting.

Voted to consider Articles 55 - 62 at this time.

Article 55. Voted that the Board of Selectmen be authorized, for and in behalf of the Town, to lease from Easton Sand and Gravel, Incorporated, for sanitary landfill site purposes certain parcels of land consisting of 10 acres, more or less, owned now or formerly by A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, situated off of Rockland Street and Bay Road as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office, for a period of one year beginning April 1, 1970, and ending March 31, 1971, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 to cover the same.

Article 56. Voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes, certain parcels of land owned now or formerly by Trustees of Andavan Realty Trust, situated southeasterly of Prospect Street, designated as follows on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-16, Lot 15 containing 25.8 acres, more or less, Lot 17 containing 10.5 acres, more or less, Lot 23 containing 10.00 acres, more or less, and Sheet R-20, Lot 33, containing 18.2 acres, more or less, and Lot 34, containing 25.0 acres, more or less, all as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Andavan Realty Trust land to be taken for sanitary land fill site purposes".

(Yes 319 No 29)

Article 57. Voted that the sum of \$51,000 is appropriated to purchase or take by right of eminent domain, for sanitary land fill site purposes and the expenses therefore, certain parcels of land, owned now or formerly by Trustees of Andavan Realty Trust, situated southeasterly of Prospect Street designated as follows on the Easton Assessors Plans, Sheet R-16, Lot 15, containing 25.8 acres, more or less; Lot 17, containing 10.5 acres, more or less; Lot 23, containing 10.00 acres, more or less; and on Sheet R-20, Lot 33, containing 18.2 acres more or less; and Lot 34, containing 25.0 acres, more or less; all as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Andavan Realty Trust Land to be taken for Sanitary Land Fill Site purposes", and to raise this appropriation \$51,000 shall be included in the 1970 tax levy.

(Yes 303 No 41)

Article 58. The article was dismissed.

Article 59. The article was dismissed.

Article 60. The article was dismissed.

Article 61. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,965.00 for the operational costs for a non-burning sanitary land fill site, and the necessary materials therefor.

Article 62. Voted to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$26,800 for the purpose of acquiring mechanical earth moving equipment necessary to operate a non-burning sanitary Landfill Site.

Article 63. Voted to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of closing the existing Town Dump off Baldwin Street.

Article 64. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,300 for the purpose of retaining a consulting engineering firm to prepare surveys, topographic plans, drainage analyses, and site development plans for Sanitary Land Fill Sites in order to insure sites are satisfactory; to obtain necessary approvals under the General Laws; to provide operational guides and data; and to make periodic inspection of operation.

Article 33. Voted to increase the number of members of the Board of Selectmen from (3) to five (5) members and at the annual Town Election of 1971 two persons will be elected for a term of three (3) years and one person will be elected for a term of two (2) years.

Article 32. Voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint an Administrative Assistant along the guide lines as set forth in the report of the Town Government Study Committee and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000 to cover the salary and \$500.00 to cover the expense of same.

(Vote—Yes 240 No 93)

Article 34. Voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to place on the official ballot for the Town Election of 1971 the following question: Shall the Town vote to have its Board of Selectmen act as the Board of Health (Yes or No).

Vote—Yes 189 No 81)

Article 35. Voted to have the Board of Selectmen appoint the members of the Planning and Zoning Board in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 81A of the General Laws.

(Vote—Yes 132 No 106)

Voted to recess until 8:00 P.M. Wednesday, March 19, 1970 at this same hall.

NOTICE OF ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING TOWN OF EASTON

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

March 19, 1970

Be it known that the Annual Town Meeting held March 16, 1970 was duly adjourned to Wednesday, March 18, 1970 at eight o'clock P.M. in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium and further adjourned to eight o'clock P.M. Thursday, March 19, 1970 in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium to see what action the Town will take in respect to Articles 36 through 54 inclusive and 65 through 83 inclusive and any and all matters that may legally come before the meeting.

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk of Easton

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 19, 1970

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator, William F. E. Buchtman at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium. The meeting was recessed to 8:15

P.M. further recessed to 8:30 P.M. and again to 8:40 P.M. When the meeting was called to order at 8:40 P.M. the Moderator declared a quorum to be present.

Article 36. Voted to have the Board of Selectmen appoint the members of the Recreation Commission in accordance with Chapter 45, Section 14 of the General Laws.

Article 37. Voted to continue the Town Government Study Committee as authorized under Article 33 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting of 1969.

Article 38. Voted to authorize the continuation of the "Sewerage Study Committee" appointed under Article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of September 8, 1969.

Article 39. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,500 for the expenses of the "Sewerage Study Committee" in continuing its studies of the future sewerage disposal needs of the Town.

Article 40. The article was dismissed.

Article 41. The article was not a vote.

Article 42. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60.50 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Phillip Pierce for his reasonable expenses while in attendance at the Brockton Police Academy during June and July 1968.

(Affirmative 191 Negative 1)

Article 43. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$58.50, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Leonard Nordbeck for his reasonable expenses while in attendance at the Brockton Police Academy during February and March 1968.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 44. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40.50, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 96B, to reimburse Police Officer Joseph Stepanski for his reasonable expenses incurred while attending the Brockton Police Academy during April 1966.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 45. Voted to adopt as a Building Code for the Town of Easton, the Boca Basic Building Code Fifth Edition, 1970, and any amendments thereto, a copy of said Boca Basic Building Code Fifth Edition 1970 being on file in the Town Clerk's Office, and to repeal the present building code of the Town of Easton, which was adopted under Article 20 of the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting of March 4, 1957, such repeal to take effect when the new building code proposed herein becomes legally effective.

(Majority Vote)

Article 46. Voted to accept the provisions of Section 8A of Chapter 184 of the General Laws, which provides that the Assessors shall, if they have reason to believe that the name and address of the grantee of record in a transfer of real estate, is not the name and address of the owner of the real estate, by written notice, request such grantee to submit the name and address of said owner within five days of the receipt of such notice, and which requires that the Assessors maintain a record of the names and addresses of such owners which shall be open to public inspection, and which provides for a not more than fifty dollar fine for violations of the section.

Article 47. Voted to amend the Town by-laws so that Section 9 of Article XIV (personnel administration) is repealed in its entirety and the following new section 9 is substituted therefor:

Section 9. Bereavement Leave.

- A. Each employee shall be granted a leave of absence without loss of pay in the event of a death in his or her immediate family. Such leave shall be up to three (3) days commencing with the date of the death.
- B. For the purposes of this section the term "immediate family" shall mean and include the following: spouse, children, father, mother, sister, brother, father-in-law and mother-in-law.

(Majority Vote)

Article 48. Voted to amend the By-Laws of the Town by inserting after Section 10 of Article VI (street regulations) the following new section:

Section 11. During the months of January, February, March and December of each year, no person shall park a

motor vehicle on any public way in the Town except in any emergency, for a period of longer than one (1) hour between the hours of 1:00 A.M. and 8 A.M. of any day.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 49. Voted to amend the Town By-Laws by repealing the present Section 3 of Article VII (contracts by Town Officers) in its entirety, and substituting therefor the following new Section 3:

Section 3. When the estimated amount of a proposed contract exceeds two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars proposals shall be called for in the manner provided in this section. Such calls for proposals shall be advertised in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, with such publication to be at least seven days before the opening of the bids. The advertisement shall require such proposals to be sealed and properly designated and shall announce the place, day and hour at which they shall be opened. The bids as received shall be deposited in a box, securely locked, and at the time and place named shall be publicly opened in the presence of the board authorized by the Town to make a contract. As far as practicable, contracts for less than two thousand (\$2,000.00) shall be awarded in such a manner as to secure reasonable competition. The provisions of this section shall not apply to contracts for personal services. Only bids so received shall be considered.

(Vote: Affirmative 117; Negative 64)

Article 50. The article was not a vote. (Yes 76 No 103)

Article 51. Voted to amend the By-Laws of the Town by inserting after Article XVIII the following new Article:

Article XIX — Outdoor Advertising

Section I. No billboards shall be erected or maintained within public view from any street or public way in the Town of Easton by any person, firm, corporation, or other legal entity, with the exception of those billboards defined under Section 2 of this Article.

Section II. The provisions of this Article shall not apply to any Billboards that have been legally erected under a license issued by the Outdoor Advertising Division prior to the adoption of this Article.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 52. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,690.00 for the purpose of entering into a contract with a private common carrier for the furnishing of or the defraying of the cost of public transportation in the Town under the authority granted by Section I of Chapter 456 of the Acts of 1969.

Article 53. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to keep Oakes Ames Memorial Hall in good order and repair, said sum of money being necessary to pay the maintenance expenses of said Hall in excess of the rental and trust fund income.

Article 54. Voted to accept the provisions of Section 9A, as most recently amended, of Chapter 53 of the General Laws, which provides with respect to nomination papers that the final date for obtaining blank nomination papers for nomination to Town Office shall be forty-eight week day hours prior to the hour on which nomination papers are required to be submitted to the Registrars of Voters for certification and that each candidate shall file with the Town Clerk prior to obtaining nomination papers, a statement containing his name and address and the Town Office for which he intends to be a candidate, and that no such candidate shall receive more blank nomination papers than will contain the number of signatures required to place his name in nomination, multiplied by five.

Article 65. Voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain for conservation purposes, as requested by the Conservation Commission, a certain parcel of land, sometimes known as the "Williams Lot", consisting of eleven acres, more or less, situated to the west of the Bay Road and lying on the southerly side of "High Plain" so called owned now or, formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Land in Easton owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, to be taken for conservation purposes.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 66. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$300.00 from conservation funds, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of eminent domain, for conservation purposes, as requested by the Conservation Commission, a certain parcel

of land sometimes known as the "Williams Lot", consisting of eleven acres, more or less, situated to the west of the Bay Road and lying on the southerly side of "High Plain", so called, owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Plan of Land in Easton owned now or formerly by Bertha E. Lincoln and Esther M. Lincoln, to be taken for Conservation purposes.

(Unanimous Vote)

Article 67. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$138.00 for repairs to the interior of the Town Offices, including the door in the Town Clerk's Office, and to appropriate the sum of money from available funds in the Treasury.

Article 68. Voted to accept as a Deed of Gift for the purpose of a public park a certain parcel of land bordered by Lincoln and Main Streets and known as "The Rockery". Said parcel contains a War Memorial to the citizens of Easton who fought in World War II and the Korean War.

Article 69-70-71-72. Voted that the sum of \$72,000.00 be appropriated and that the Board of Water Commissioners be authorized to lay water mains of not less than six inches on the following streets: Beaver Dam Road, 3430 feet, more or less; Howard Street, 1030 feet, more or less; Foundry Street, from Old Foundry Street, a distance of 31300 feet, more or less; Norton Avenue, from Foundry Street, a distance of 1905 feet, more or less; that the Town Treasurer with approval of the Board of Selectmen be authorized to issue \$72,000.00 of bonds or notes under Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended, payable in not exceeding five years from their dates.

(Affirmative 173 Negative 15)

Article 73. The article was not a vote.

Article 74. The article was dismissed.

Voted to recess until 8:00 P.M. Tuesday, March 24, 1970 at this same hall.

**NOTICE OF ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF EASTON**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

March 20, 1970

Be it known that the Annual Town Meeting held March 16, 1970 was duly adjourned to Wednesday, March 18, 1970 at eight o'clock P.M. in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium and further adjourned to eight o'clock P.M. Thursday, March 19, 1970 in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium and further adjourned to Tuesday, March 24, 1970 at eight o'clock P.M. in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium to see what action the Town will take in respect to Articles 75 through 83 inclusive and any and all matters that may legally come before the meeting.

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk of Easton

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 24, 1970

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by Town Clerk, Esther C. Anderson, at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium. The meeting was recessed to 8:15 P.M. and further recessed to 8:30 P.M. When the meeting was called to order at 8:30 P.M. there were 141 voters checked in.

Voted to adjourn.
A true record.

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk of Easton

Annual Town Election

March 23, 1970

In accordance with the warrant, the voters of the Town met at their respective polling places on Monday, March 23, 1970.

The polls were opened at ten o'clock A.M. and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

The following named persons were duly sworn and performed the duties of election officers.

Precinct One—Beverly A. Phillips, Warden; Edith F. Schleicher, Clerk; Donald A. Meunier, Mildred E. Cushman, Margaret A. Stacey, Mary A. Kent, Barbara A. Schleicher, and Glenny M. Snow, Tellers.

Precinct Two—Francis J. Callahan, Warden; Arthur F. Anderson, Clerk; Anne C. Reynolds, Vera S. Johnson, Rose Nagle, Isabelle T. Somerville, Gathry L. Hall, Irene Tufts, John Mara, Helena R. Holster, Margaret E. Hall, Tellers.

Precinct Three—Dorothy A. Oman, Warden; Ethel I. Blood, Clerk; Gladys Eidson, Barbara W. Chase, Mary L. Tully, Rose M. Furlong, Evelyn D. DePaul and Jean A. Perrin, Tellers.

The number of ballots cast was as follows:

Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
241	817	256	1314

The result of the election was as follows:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
SELECTMAN (Three years) (One)				
James D. Mullen, Jr.	201	686	214	1101
Blanks and scattering	40	131	42	213
ASSESSOR (Three years) (One)				
John A. Keach, Jr.	189	635	215	1039
Blanks and scattering	52	182	41	275
BOARD OF HEALTH (Three years) (One)				
Robert H. Rollins	153	459	151	763
Alexander J. Pires	66	281	90	437
Blanks and scattering	22	77	15	114

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Three years) (One)				
Leo D. McEvoy	107	461	119	687
Wilford H. Woodworth	105	278	114	497
Blanks and scattering	29	78	23	130
SOUTHEASTERN REG. SCH. DIST. (Three years) (One)				
Charles D. Anderson	150	450	172	772
Bruce C. Jerman, Sr.	66	232	65	363
Blanks and scattering	25	135	19	179
HOUSING AUTHORITY (Five years) (One)				
Robert E. West, Jr.	141	502	134	777
MacKenzie Smith	77	231	98	406
Blanks and scattering	23	84	24	131
PLANNING - ZONING BOARD (Five years) (One)				
Wallace S. Gilmore	70	370	102	542
Maurice A. Holton	153	353	133	639
Blanks	18	94	21	133
MODERATOR (One year) (One)				
William F. E. Buchtmann	190	659	217	1066
Blanks and scattering	51	158	39	248
TREE WARDEN (One year) (One)				
Daniel B. Amorim	202	692	222	1116
Blanks	39	125	34	198
WATER COMMISSIONER (Three years) (One)				
Raymond Taylor	199	658	224	1081
Blanks	42	159	32	233
RECREATION COMMISSION (Three years) (Two)				
Priscilla Lafayette	174	525	179	878
Ralph A. Maynard	193	621	199	1013
Blanks and scattering	115	488	134	737
FINANCE COMMITTEE (Three years) (Five)				
Lewis N. Aries, Jr.	170	567	177	914
Robert E. Keating	173	568	181	922
Howard E. Ayers	147	478	141	766
Jerome H. Fletcher	171	489	184	844
Cyril James Sullivan, Jr.	129	430	134	693
John H. Walsh, Jr.	147	437	150	734
Blanks and scattering	268	1116	313	1697

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
FINANCE COMMITTEE (One Year) (One)				
James F. Burton	158	317	128	603
Herbert H. King	53	298	83	434
Blanks	30	202	45	277

QUESTION NO. 1 (Additional Group Insurance)				
Yes	166	493	164	823
No	57	178	57	292
Blanks	18	146	35	199

QUESTION NO. 2 (Accident Ins. Firemen & Police)				
Yes	160	504	174	838
No	67	190	51	308
Blanks	14	123	31	168

QUESTION NO. 3 (Group Insurance Premium)				
Yes	94	343	109	546
No	124	312	103	539
Blanks	23	162	44	229

A true record. Attest

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

October 26, 1970

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Bristol, SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Easton in the County of Bristol.

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Easton qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium in said Easton on Monday, the 26th day of October, next, at 8:00 p.m. then and there to act upon the following Articles:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Highway Department to be used to purchase 450 ft. of eight inch water pipe and a hydrant and connections therefor for installation at the Bay Road Sanitary Land Fill Site, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a Packer Truck for the Highway Department, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the authority granted to the Board of Selectmen at the Annual Town Meeting of March 16, 1970, to take certain parcels of land owned now or formerly by Trustees of Andavan Realty Trust, situated southeasterly of Prospect Street, for sanitary landfill purposes by the right of eminent domain.

(By Petition)

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen with the approval of the Board of Health to appoint a "Sanitary Land-Fill Committee", consisting of five citizens of the Town to restudy the needs of the Town for refuse disposal and to recommend to the Town for vote

and approval such site(s) as best meet the need of the Town. Engineering studies of all available sites in Town are to be obtained and recorded for this comparative study. These studies where indicated are to be rechecked and reviewed by another engineering firm, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the use of the "Sanitary Land Fill Committee" in obtaining the necessary engineering studies of prospective sites, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money, in addition to the \$4,855,000 authorized by a vote of the Town on September 30, 1968 for constructing and originally equipping and furnishing the new high school and to determine whether the appropriation will be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote of the Town under Article 33 of the Warrant of the annual Town Meeting of 1970, which authorized the Board of Selectmen to appoint an Administrative Assistant, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with the provisions of Section 23A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, to appoint an Executive Secretary for a term of one or three years and to remove him at their discretion, and that said Executive Secretary shall act by and for the Selectmen in any matter which they may assign to him relating to the Administration of the affairs of the Town or of any Town office or Department under their supervision, or, with the approval of the Selectmen, may perform such other duties as may be requested of him by any other Town officer, Board or committee, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote under Article 32 of the Warrant of the annual Town Meeting of 1970 changing the size of the Board of Selectmen from three (3) to five (5) members, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Town Treasurer to use to pay the costs incurred in the sale of school bonds, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the use of the Veteran's Agent in the payment of Veteran's benefits, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to be used for Police Department expenses and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 6L of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, which provide that a Town which accepts said section may appropriate money for the Lease or rental of stormy weather work clothes, including rubber boots, and other work clothes for its employees, which lease or rental agreement may provide for periodical laundering and repairs, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote in accordance with the provisions of Section 69 of Chapter 152 of the General Laws, that the terms "Laborers, workmen and mechanics", as used in Sections 68 to 75, inclusive, of said Chapter 152, shall also include such elected or appointed officers of the Town, except the Selectmen or members of the police or fire force, as the Board of Selectmen may, from time to time, designate, as evidenced by a writing filed with the Division of Industrial Accidents, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 524, Section 1, of the Acts of 1970, which provides that the action of the Town of Easton in appropriating the sum of \$1,077.00 to pay Lawrence Hurley as reimbursement for legal fees and expenses incurred by him in an action of Mandamus in the Bristol County Superior Court Docket No. 21575 relative to the enforcement of the zoning by-laws of said Town, is validated by the General Court, and that the Treasurer of said Town is authorized to make payment to said Lawrence Hurley, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to pay Richard Southworth for groceries sold to the Highway Department on February 24, 1969, and at other times during the winter of 1969, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to pay Fred Camara for services rendered to the Highway Department in February and March of 1969, and to appropriate said sum of money from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town to lease, for sanitary land fill purposes, a certain parcel of land situated northerly of Dean Street, owned now or formerly by George H. DeWitt & Sons, designated on the Assessors Plans, Sheet R-19, as Lot 10, consisting of 29 acres, more or less as shown on a Plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office, and to appropriate a sum of money therefor, and determine whether the money shall be provided, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to survey the Town line between Norton and the Town of Easton on the west side of Foundry Street (Route 123) or to take any other action relative thereto.
(By Petition)

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize a Planning Board to place stone bounds on each corner of the industrial zone on Route 106 and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law of the Town, the said proposed amendment being set forth in the Article contained below, a copy of said report to be on file in the Town Clerk's Office, or to take any action relative thereto.

(By Petition)

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2 - 3, "Location of Zones" and the "Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton, dated October 2, 1967", by adding the following paragraph to said Section 2 - 3 and by amending the Protective By-Law Map in accordance therewith; "the land starting at the corner of Foundry Street and the Easton-Norton line, thence Northwesterly by the Easton-Norton line to Red Mill Road, thence Southeasterly, Northwesterly, Northwesterly, Northeasterly and Northwesterly in line of land of the Town of Easton to Red Mill Road, thence Northeasterly by the Easterly line of Red Mill Road to Norton Avenue, thence Southeasterly by the Southerly line of Norton Avenue to Foundry Street, thence Southwesterly by the Westerly line of Foundry Street to the Easton-Norton line and the point of beginning, said area being shown as Plots 10 and 8 on Easton Assessors Map R-17 and Plots 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10 and 11 on Easton Assessors Map R-18 and which presently appear on the Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton" as being a single residence zone, and shall be classified and defined on said map as an industrial zone, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law of the Town, the said proposed amendment being set forth in the article contained below, a copy of said report to be on file in the Town Clerk's Office, or to take any action relative thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 2 - 3, "Location of Zones" and the "Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton, dated October 2, 1967", by adding the following paragraph to said Section 2 - 3 and by amending the Protective By-Law Map in accordance therewith; "the land starting at the corner of Foundry Street and the Easton-Norton line, thence Northwesterly along the Easton-Norton line, 2,255.83 feet, more or less, thence Northeasterly by the Easterly line of land of the Newcomb Home for Old Ladies of Norton, in 5 courses, 1,584.96 feet more or less, to land of the Town of Easton, thence Southeasterly by the Southerly line of land of the Town of Easton in two courses, 1,200 feet, more or less, thence, Northwesterly by the Easterly line of land of the Town of Easton, 290 feet, more or less, thence, Northeasterly by the Southerly line of land of the Town of Easton, 796.40 ft. more or less, thence Southeasterly

by the Westerly line of land of Mary Gavin Wright et als, 430.32 ft. more or less, thence, Northeasterly by the Southerly line of land of said Wright et als, 466.65 feet, more or less, to Foundry Street, thence, Southwesterly by the Westerly line of Foundry Street to the Easton-Norton line and the point of beginning, said area being shown as Plots 8 on Easton Assessors Map R-17 and Plots 9, 10 and 11 on Easton Assessors Map R-18 and which presently appears on the Protective By-Law Map of the Town of Easton" as being a single residence zone, and shall be classified and defined on said map as an industrial zone, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for Christmas decorations, trees and lighting, for the Main Street business district, South Easton Green, Monument and Easton Furnaces area, and determine whether the money shall be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept Baltic Avenue as a public way, as shown on a plan on file at the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Subdivision of Land in Easton, Bristol County, Mass." dated November 8, 1965. The fee to said Baltic Avenue to be conveyed to the Town by deed of gift by the owners thereof, or to take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept Cosma Road as a public way as shown on a plan entitled "Land in Easton owned by Guy & Cosma Ando" dated March 7, 1966, on file with the Town Clerk's Office, the fee to said Cosma Road to be conveyed to the Town by the owners thereof by deed of gift or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 28. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

You are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at each meeting house and post office in said Town, and one at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium, and one in the Town Offices, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 9th day of October in the year nineteen hundred and seventy.

ARTHUR H. TUFTS
JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.
CHARLES C. WILLIS

Selectmen of Easton

A true copy, attest:

GEORGE A. PIERSON, Constable

Bristol, ss.

Easton, October 17, 1970

By virtue hereof, and as within directed, I have this day posted attested copies of this warrant.

GEORGE A. PIERSON,
Constable of Easton

Special Town Meeting

October 26, 1970

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, William F. E. Buchtmann, at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium at 8:00 P.M. Voted to recess until 8:05 P.M. and further to 8:10 P.M. to allow the voters in line to get checked in and to get a count. When the meeting was called to order at 8:10 P.M. the moderator declared a quorum to be present. 638 voters attended the meeting.

Voted to grant permission to admit to the meeting Joan Revede from the Easton Bulletin, Robert Burns from the Boston Globe, Charles Pickering, Louise O'Rourke, Robert Dray, Eveline Sawabini and Kevin Mullen to handle the microphones and ten students.

Voted to dispense with the reading of the warrant.

Article 1. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$3,000 from available funds for the Highway Department to be used to purchase 450 ft. of eight inch water pipe and a hydrant and connections therefor for installation at the Bay Road Sanitary Land Fill Site.

Article 2. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$16,735.00 from Overlay Reserve for the purchase of a Packer Truck for the Highway Department.

Article 3. This article was not a vote. (Yes 223, No 432)

Article 4. The article was dismissed.

Article 5. The article was dismissed.

Article 6. Voted that the sum of \$465,000 is appropriated, in addition to the \$4,855,000 authorized by a vote of the town on September 30, 1968, for constructing and originally equipping and furnishing the new high school; that to raise this appropriation the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, is authorized to borrow \$465,000 under Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended; and that the High School Building Committee is authorized to take all action necessary to carry out completion of the project.

(Affirmative 497; Negative 37)

Article 7. The article was dismissed.

Article 8. The article was dismissed.

Article 9. The article was dismissed.

Article 10. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$5,706.22 from available funds for the Town Treasurer to use to pay the costs incurred in the sale of school bonds.

Article 11. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 from available funds in the Treasury for the use of the Veteran's Agent in the payment of Veteran's benefits.

Article 12. Voted to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$2,900 to be used for Police Department expenses. (insurance re-imbursement)

Article 13. The article was not a vote.

Article 14. Voted in accordance with the provisions of Section 69 of Chapter 152 of the General Laws, that the terms "Laborers, workmen and mechanics", as used in Sections 68 to 75, inclusive, of said Chapter 152, shall also include such elected or appointed officers of the Town, except the Selectmen or members of the police and fire force, as the Board of Selectmen may, from time to time, designate, as evidenced by a writing filed with the Division of Industrial Accidents.

Article 15. Voted to accept the provisions of Chapter 524, Section 1, of the Acts of 1970, which provides that the action of the Town of Easton in appropriating the sum of \$1,077.00 to pay Lawrence Hurley as reimbursement for legal fees and expenses incurred by him in an action of Mandamus in the Bristol County Superior Court Docket No. 21575 relative to the enforcement of the zoning by-laws of said Town, is validated by the General Court, and that the Treasurer of said Town is authorized to make payment to said Lawrence Hurley.

Article 16. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$30.54 from available funds in the Treasury to pay Richard Southworth for groceries sold to the Highway Department on February 24, 1969, and at other times during the winter of 1969.

Vote—Yes 343; No 9

Article 17. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$250.00 from available funds in the Treasury to pay Fred Camara for services rendered to the Highway Department in February and March of 1969. (Unanimous Vote)

Article 18. The article was dismissed.

Article 19. The article was dismissed.

Article 20. The article was dismissed.

Article 21. Voted to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law of the Town, the said proposed amendment being set forth in the Article.

Article 22. The article was not a vote.

Article 23. The article was dismissed.

Article 24. The article was dismissed.

Article 25. The article was dismissed.

Article 26. Voted to accept Baltic Avenue as a public way, as shown on a plan on file in the Town Clerk's Office entitled "Subdivision of Land in Easton, Bristol County, Mass." dated November 8, 1965, the fee to said Baltic Avenue to be conveyed to the Town by deed of gift by the owners thereof.

Article 27. The article was dismissed.

Article 28. Voted to adjourn.

A true record. Attest:

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,

Town Clerk of Easton

Warrant for State Primary

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Bristol ss.

To either of the Constables of the TOWN OF EASTON . . .

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries — those residing in Precinct One, to meet at Harmony Grange Hall; those residing in Precinct Two, to meet at Junior High School Auditorium; and those residing in Precinct Three, to meet at South Easton Schoolhouse

Tuesday, the Fifteenth Day of September, 1970

at one o'clock P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Senator in Congress	For this Commonwealth
Governor	" " "
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver—General	" " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth	" " "
Representative in Congress	For Tenth Congressional Dist.
Councillor	For Second Councillor District
Senator	For Norfolk & Bristol Senatorial Dist.
One Representative in General Court	For 14th Bristol Representative Dist.
District Attorney	For Southern District
Clerk of Courts	For Bristol County
Register of Deeds	For Bristol Northern Dist.
County Commissioner (1) (Except Nantucket and Suffolk Counties)	For Bristol County

The polls will be open from 1:00 to 8:00 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 1st day of September, A.D. 1970.

A true copy. Attest:

ARTHUR H. TUFTS
CHARLES C. WILLIS
JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.
Selectmen

GEORGE A. PIERSON, Constable

Bristol, ss.

Easton, Sept. 4, 1970

By virtue hereof, and as within directed, I have this day posted attested copies of this warrant.

GEORGE A. PIERSON,
Constable of Easton

State Primaries

September 15, 1970

In accordance with the warrant, the State Primary was held September 15, 1970. The polls were opened at one o'clock and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

The following persons served as election officers:

Precinct One—Beverly A. Phillips, Warden; Edith F. Schleicher, Clerk; Mildred E. Cushman, Donald A. Meunier, Margaret E. Stacey, Glenny M. Snow, Shirley F. Makepeace, Kathleen H. Coggon, Tellers.

Precinct Two—Mildred Deady, Warden; Gathry L. Hall, Clerk; Francis J. Callahan, Deputy Warden; Anne C. Reynolds, Vera S. Johnson, Isabelle T. Somerville, Hilda Silva, William J. McEntee, Helena R. Holster, Alice Stone, Irene M. Tufts, Alice Anderson, Sarah W. Hutchings, John F. Mara, Henry Baxter, Charles Kelley, Margaret E. Hall, Joseph Camara, and Lucy Flynn, Tellers.

Precinct Three—Dorothy A. Oman, Warden; Ethel I. Blood, Clerk; Mary L. Tully, Evelyn D. DePaul, Gladys Eidson, Barbara W. Chase, Rose M. Furlong, Tellers.

The number of ballots cast was as follows:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Republican	474	853	487	1814
Democratic	116	407	160	683
Total	590	1260	647	2497

The result of the election was as follows:

REPUBLICAN PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Josiah A. Spaulding	276	507	289	1072
John J. McCarthy	158	286	167	611
Blanks	40	60	31	131

GOVERNOR

Francis W. Sargent	411	727	439	1577
Blanks	63	126	48	237

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR				
Donald R. Dwight	380	677	411	1468
Blanks	94	176	76	346
ATTORNEY GENERAL				
Donald L. Conn	384	670	409	1463
Blanks	90	183	78	351
SECRETARY				
Mary B. Newman	371	669	407	1447
Blanks	103	184	80	367
TREASURER				
Frederick D. Hannon	375	668	407	1450
Blanks	99	185	80	364
AUDITOR				
Frank P. Bucci	371	662	402	1435
Blanks	103	191	85	379
CONGRESSMAN, TENTH DISTRICT				
Margaret M. Heckler	407	681	420	1508
Blanks	67	172	67	306
COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT				
Blanks	474	853	487	1814
SENATOR, NORFOLK & BRISTOL DISTRICT				
John M. Quinlan	359	655	387	1401
Blanks	115	198	100	413
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, 14TH BRISTOL DISTRICT				
John S. Ames, III	214	423	235	872
John A. Keach, Jr.	256	426	246	928
Blanks	4	4	6	14
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT				
Louis James Ostric	109	169	97	375
Philip A. Rollins	246	458	282	986
Blanks	119	226	108	453
CLERK OF COURTS, BRISTOL COUNTY				
Blanks	474	853	487	1814
REGISTER OF DEEDS, BRISTOL NORTHERN DIST.				
Henry G. Crapo	355	628	386	1369
Blanks	119	225	101	445
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, BRISTOL COUNTY				
Blanks	474	853	487	1814

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
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SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Edward M. Kennedy	82	321	124	527
Blanks	34	86	36	156

GOVERNOR

Maurice A. Donahue	32	133	50	215
Francis X. Bellotti	30	72	35	137
Kenneth P. O'Donnell	8	36	13	57
Kevin H. White	45	156	58	259
Blanks	1	10	4	15

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Michael S. Dukakis	45	210	83	338
Rocco J. Antonelli	10	26	5	41
John J. Craven, Jr.	8	24	12	44
Kathleen T. Ryan Dacey	11	30	12	53
James S. McCormack	33	90	38	161
Blanks	9	27	10	46

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Robert H. Quinn	94	357	138	589
Blanks	22	50	22	94

SECRETARY

John F. X. Davoren	89	337	130	556
Blanks	27	70	30	127

TREASURER

Robert Q. Crane	88	338	132	558
Blanks	28	69	28	125

AUDITOR

Thaddeus Buczko	95	345	131	571
Blanks	21	62	29	112

CONGRESSMAN, TENTH DISTRICT

Dennis A. Smith	87	284	102	473
Bertram A. Yaffe	12	85	39	136
Blanks	17	38	19	74

COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT

Herbert L. Connolly	84	311	127	522
Blanks	32	96	33	161

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
SENATOR, NORFOLK AND BRISTOL DISTRICT				
Terence Maloney	90	308	128	526
Blanks	26	99	32	157

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, 14TH BRISTOL DISTRICT				
James D. Mullen, Jr.	92	361	138	591
Blanks	24	46	22	92

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT				
Edmund Dinis	82	255	114	451
Blanks	34	152	46	232

CLERK OF COURTS, BRISTOL COUNTY				
William P. Grant	84	303	124	511
Blanks	32	104	36	172

REGISTER OF DEEDS, BRISTOL NORTHERN DIST.				
Blanks	116	407	160	683

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, BRISTOL COUNTY				
Byron R. Ford, Jr.	29	40	23	92
William F. Long, Jr.	53	192	62	307
Kenneth Machado	7	42	23	72
Robert E. Peck	5	27	13	45
Blanks	22	106	39	167

A true record. Attest:

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk

Warrant for State Election

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Bristol, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Easton,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in elections, residing in Precinct One, to meet at Harmony Grange Hall; those residing in Precinct Two, to meet at the Easton Junior High School Auditorium; and those residing in Precinct Three, to meet at the South Easton Schoolhouse, on Tuesday, November 3, 1970, at NINE o'clock A.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Senator in Congress; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Attorney General; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Representative in Congress for the Tenth Congressional District; Councillor for Second Councillor District; Senator for Norfolk and Bristol Senatorial District; One Representative in General Court for Fourteenth Bristol Representative District; District Attorney for Southern District; Clerk of Courts for Bristol County; Register of Deeds for Bristol Northern District; One County Commissioner for Bristol County:

And also vote on the following six questions:

QUESTION NO. 1

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 15, 1968, received 155 votes in the affirmative and 98 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 14, 1969, received 147 votes in the affirmative and 119 in the negative?

YES	
NO	

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment to the Constitution authorizes the Legislature to classify real property according to uses, and authorizes the assessment, rating and taxation of real property at different rates in the different classes so established, but proportionately in the same class. The amendment further authorizes the granting of reasonable exemptions and abatements.

QUESTION NO. 2

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held October 9, 1967, received 237 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 14, 1969, received 262 votes in the affirmative and 4 in the negative?

YES	
NO	

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment to the Constitution abolishes the requirement that in order to vote in a state election a person must have resided within the Commonwealth one year. If amended, the Constitution would require only that a voter have resided six months in the town or district in which he claims a right to vote.

QUESTION NO. 3

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held October 9, 1967, received 142 votes in the affirmative and 102 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 14, 1969, received 222 votes in the affirmative and 49 in the negative?

YES	
NO	

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment to the Constitution reduces the minimum age for voting in a state election from twenty-one to nineteen.

QUESTION NO. 4

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 15, 1968, received 181 votes in the affirmative and 66 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 15, 1969, received 208 votes in the affirmative and 54 in the negative?

YES	
NO	

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment to the Constitution amends the existing constitutional provisions which direct the division of the Commonwealth into 240 representative districts and 40 senatorial districts. It provides for a census of the inhabitants of each city and town in the Commonwealth in the year 1971 and in every tenth year thereafter. The census in 1971 is to be the basis for determining the representative and senatorial districts for the ten-year period beginning January 1, 1975. Each subsequent census shall be the basis for determining the districts for each ten-year period beginning the fourth January following each census, so that the census in 1981 will determine the districts as of January, 1985, etc.

The amendment provides that the house of representatives shall consist of two hundred and forty members and the senate of forty members. In its first regular session following each census, the Legislature shall divide the Commonwealth into two hundred and forty representative districts of contiguous territory and forty senatorial districts also of contiguous territory. Each representative district shall contain, as nearly as may be, an equal number of inhabitants according to the census. Each senatorial district shall also contain as nearly as may be an equal number of inhabitants according to the census. A representative district shall not unite two or more counties, towns, or cities, or parts thereof, or a city and a town, or parts thereof, in one district unless the same is unavoidable. Further, no town of less than six thousand inhabitants shall be divided in forming representative districts. It is also provided that the County of Dukes County and Nantucket County shall each be a representative district, notwithstanding the foregoing. The senatorial districts, each of which shall elect one Senator, shall be formed

without uniting two counties or parts of two or more counties, unless the same is unavoidable.

Each representative shall be an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen at least one year immediately preceding his election, and each senator shall be an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen at the time of his election and shall have been an inhabitant of the Commonwealth for at least five years immediately preceding his election. Any representative or senator who ceases to be an inhabitant of the Commonwealth shall cease to represent his district.

The amendment also provides that the Legislature (1) may by law limit the time within which judicial proceedings may be instituted calling in question any such division and (2) shall prescribe by law the manner of calling and conducting elections for the choice of representatives and of ascertaining their election.

Finally, the amendment annuls the existing constitutional provisions with respect to apportionment of representative and senatorial districts, although those provisions will remain in effect until January 1, 1975.

QUESTION NO. 5

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTION.

Which one of the following do you prefer with reference to the future course of action by the United States in Vietnam?

To vote on this question mark a cross X in the square at the right of the subdivision you prefer. **DO NOT VOTE FOR MORE THAN ONE.**

- A. Win a military victory. ☐
- B. Withdraw our armed forces in accordance with a planned schedule. ☐
- C. Withdraw all our armed forces immediately. ☐

QUESTION NO. 6

A. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES	☐
NO	☐

B. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES	☐
NO	☐

C. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES	☐
NO	☐

D. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale of all alcoholic beverages by hotels having a dining room capacity of not less than ninety-nine persons and lodging capacity of not less than fifty rooms?

YES	☐
NO	☐

All the above candidates and officers and questions are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The Polls will be open from 9 o'clock A.M. to 8 o'clock P.M.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at each meeting house and post office in said Town and one at the Easton Junior High School Auditorium and one at the Town Offices seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting, and said Town Clerk is hereby required to make return of this warrant to the Warden or Deputy Warden at the time and place of holding said meeting, and said Warden is hereby required to make return of this warrant to the Town Clerk.

Given under our hands this 19th day of October in the year nineteen hundred seventy.

ARTHUR H. TUFTS
CHARLES C. WILLIS
JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.
Selectmen of Easton

A true copy. Attest:

GEORGE A. PIERSON,
Constable of Easton
Easton, October 17, 1970

Bristol, ss.

By virtue hereof, and as within directed, I have this day posted attested copies of this warrant.

GEORGE A. PIERSON
Constable of Easton

State Elections

November 3, 1970

In accordance with the warrant, the voters met at their respective polling places on November 3, 1970.

The polls were opened at nine o'clock A.M. and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

The following named persons served as officers at the polls.

Precinct One—Beverly A. Phillips, Warden; Mildred E. Cushman, Deputy Warden; Edith F. Schleicher, Clerk; Donald E. Meunier, Margaret E. Stacey, Virginia G. Milano, Barbara A. Schleicher, Mary A. Kent, Verna Norton, Tellers.

Precinct Two—Mildred Deady, Warden; Gathry L. Hall, Clerk; Francis J. Callahan, Deputy Warden; Vera S. Johnson, Hilda Silva, Irene M. Tufts, Isabelle T. Somerville, Helena R. Holster, Alice Stone, William J. McEntee, Christine Reynolds, Sarah W. Hutchings, Alice Anderson, Elizabeth Keach, John F. Mara, Henry Baxter, Lucy Flynn, Margaret E. Hall, Charles J. Kelley, Joseph Camara, Tellers.

Precinct Three—Dorothy A. Oman, Warden, Ethel I. Blood, Deputy Warden; Evelyn D. DePaul, Clerk; Gladys Eidson, Barbara W. Chase, Rose M. Furlong, Barbara F. Randall, Claire E. Willis, Mary L. Tully and Jean A. Perrin, Tellers.

The number of ballots cast was as follows:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Total	1067	2396	1198	4661

The result of the election was as follows:

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Edward M. Kennedy	428	1238	495	2161
Josiah A. Spaulding	590	1083	662	2335
Lawrence Gilfedder	5	5	3	13
Mark R. Shaw	3	8	3	14
Blanks	41	62	35	138

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
GOVERNOR				
Sargent and Dwight	772	1493	798	3063
White and Dukakis	238	807	329	1374
Henning A. Blomen	2	1	1	4
John Charles Hedges	1	3	1	5
Blanks	54	92	69	215
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR				
Sargent and Dwight	772	1493	798	3063
White and Dukakis	238	807	329	1374
Albert E. Bates	3	1	1	5
Francis A. Votano	2	3	1	6
Blanks	52	92	69	213
ATTORNEY GENERAL				
Donald L. Conn	574	1032	628	2234
Robert H. Quinn	458	1257	538	2253
Willy N. Hogseth	4	10	4	18
Blanks	31	97	28	156
SECRETARY				
John F. X. Davoren	365	1073	434	1872
Mary B. Newman	655	1192	721	2568
Murvin A. Becker	5	16	4	25
Edgar E. Gaudet	4	9	2	15
Blanks	38	106	37	181
TREASURER				
Robert Q. Crane	458	1274	528	2260
Frederick D. Hannon	549	949	608	2106
John B. Lauder	4	5	2	11
Roy K. Nelson	9	16	6	31
Blanks	47	152	54	253
AUDITOR				
Thaddeus Buczko	473	1283	558	2314
Frank P. Bucci	529	934	576	2039
Raymond J. Gray	9	19	3	31
Roger I. Williams	9	12	5	26
Blanks	47	148	56	251
CONGRESSMAN, TENTH DISTRICT				
Margaret M. Heckler	784	1475	861	3120
Bertram A. Yaffe	263	874	316	1453
Blanks	20	47	21	88

Prec. 1 Prec. 2 Prec. 3 Total
COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT

Herbert L. Connolly	688	1582	750	3020
Blanks	379	814	448	1641

SENATOR, NORFOLK AND BRISTOL DISTRICT

John M. Quinlan	717	1427	826	2970
Terence Maloney	312	866	336	1514
Blanks	38	103	36	177

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,
14TH BRISTOL DISTRICT

John S. Ames, III	719	1341	763	2823
James D. Mullen, Jr.	335	1021	424	1780
Blanks	13	34	11	58

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT

Edmund Dinis	388	1029	482	1899
Philip A. Rollins	623	1166	658	2447
Blanks	56	201	58	315

CLERK OF COURTS, BRISTOL COUNTY

William P. Grant	714	1636	784	3134
Blanks	353	760	414	1527

REGISTER OF DEEDS, BRISTOL NORTHERN DIST.

Henry G. Crapo	846	1761	964	3571
Blanks	221	635	234	1090

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, BRISTOL COUNTY

William F. Long, Jr.	673	1573	752	2998
Blanks	394	823	446	1663

QUESTION NO. 1 (Constitution Amendment)

Yes	348	777	394	1519
No	589	1222	638	2449
Blanks	130	397	166	693

QUESTION NO. 2 (Constitution Amendment)

Yes	717	1511	813	3041
No	234	500	233	967
Blanks	116	385	152	653

QUESTION NO. 3 (Constitution Amendment)

Yes	536	1191	575	2302
No	418	853	481	1752
Blanks	113	352	142	607

Prec. 1 Prec. 2 Prec. 3 Total
QUESTION NO. 4 (Constitution Amendment)

Yes	485	1058	558	2101
No	355	663	350	1368
Blanks	227	675	290	1192

QUESTION NO. 5 (Vietnam)

A.	122	240	160	522
B.	575	1203	662	2440
C.	283	634	281	1198
Blanks	87	319	95	501

QUESTION NO. 6

A. Full Liquor License for this town

Yes	752	1707	913	3372
No	217	382	176	775
Blanks	98	307	109	514

B. Wines and Beer

Yes	731	1643	874	3248
No	189	321	148	658
Blanks	147	432	176	755

C. Package License

Yes	750	1681	877	3308
No	181	298	152	631
Blanks	136	417	169	722

D. Full Liquor—hotels

Yes	753	1665	865	3283
No	171	312	155	638
Blanks	143	419	178	740

A true record. Attest:

ESTHER C. ANDERSON,
Town Clerk

Southeastern Regional School District

Vocational-Technical Education

The Southeastern Regional Vocational School during 1970 had a total enrollment of 949 students in the regular day school; plus shorter terms of service to about 600 special evening school pupils under several categories. Regular day school pupils from Easton numbered 94.

In addition to the professional administrative staff of seven, as headed by Donald E. Graves, Superintendent-Director; the control of this school rests with the official school committee, composed of one elected representative from each of the eight towns, and two from Brockton. The committee for 1970 was:

John H. Hamilton, Chairman	W. Bridgewater
Robert B. Snow, Vice Chairman	Stoughton
Ruth B. Brown, Secretary	Norton
Charles D. Anderson	Easton
Louis E. Tarsa	Mansfield
Robert B. Ewing	East Bridgewater
Robert A. Girardin	Foxboro
Allan B. Temple	Sharon
Clement F. Beals	Brockton
Edward A. Raymond	Brockton

These communities own the school, which in its practical aspect, must be interpreted as a branch of the local high school, and of free choice to all prospective ninth grade pupils who may meet the limited easy requirements for admission, and have a direct interest in the subjects offered.

We are pleased to report a reduction of \$3,000 below last years amount, in the annual share charged to Easton. The town also received a state aid check last June in the amount of \$58,000, by reason of being a part of a vocational district. This money goes directly into the E & D account. A portion of revenue credited against final charges has been \$50,000 in sales from goods produced in the shops of the school. Our unit costs of bus transportation is much less than under private contracts, and the operating condition of the buses

after three years is excellent under our own maintenance. Students and instructors have completed the building and furnishing of a very fine plumbing shop and classroom addition capable of accommodating forty students, for little more than \$8.00 per foot. Also seven sections of heavy steel athletic bleachers at a savings of \$7500. The school now offers a full scale athletic program at three levels in all major sports.

Next June will see our first four-year graduating class. To more fully serve these boys and girls, we have added to our guidance staff, a full time placement officer counselor. One of the major projects for the coming year will be a formal evaluation of the whole school and its program leading to full accreditation by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. In cooperation with the State Employment Agency of Brockton, the construction classes and their instructors have undertaken the job of remodeling the state owned building at the Brockton fair grounds, and thereafter furnishing up-grading vocational instruction to selected un-employed individuals of the Brockton area, at no cost to the towns of the district.

Our library has recently grown to the largest and most efficient of any vocational school library in Mass. To this we have added a fully-equipped audio visual viewing room completely furnished and equipped by students; also a production laboratory area and dark room for the preparation of all teacher and classroom needs in visual materials. The combined unit is manned by two specially trained educational aides who operate some eighteen pieces of reproductive equipment. A data processing service center for which we have hired a professional staff is rapidly preparing to serve the school systems and municipal departments of our nine communities during the evening and night hours when they can utilize our expensive equipment in addition to its use for instructional purposes during school hours.

Extra Features of a Regional Vocational School Not Supplied by a Regular School System

1. Computer Work and Data Processing.
2. Large demands for supplies and materials for shops and constructions.
3. More involved accounting, purchasing, and payroll functions.

4. Around the clock watchman service, seven days a week.
5. Evening school apprentice courses.
6. Federal manpower development training courses.
7. 13th and 14th grade offerings at Community college level.
8. Food purchases over and above ordinary school lunch needs.
9. Full-time placement counselor for employment, as member of guidance department.
10. Part-time professional consultants in health and dental courses.
11. Permanent legal retainer fees.
12. Exterior maintenance in grounds care, including snow plowing.
13. Maintenance and repairs of expensive shop equipment.
14. Shop services to city-town governments and school systems.
15. Night time illumination of grounds, for use of building five nights per week as well as protection all night.

We are beginning to feel a great deal of pressure to expand and accept many more students who apply for admission. The school administration is constantly alert, seeking some reasonable control of financial expansion by performing minor constructions on its own; yet this probably cannot continue into the larger buildings without some future bonding issue for the district to cover the services and construction by a regular general contractor.

It has been a pleasure and rewarding experience to serve the town of Easton in this capacity.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES D. ANDERSON,
Vocational District Committeeman
from Easton

Report of the High School Building Committee

Regularly monthly meetings of the High School Building Committee were held on the second Thursday of each month. In addition to these regular meetings, several special meetings were held throughout the year.

Special attention was devoted during the early part of the year to the question of movable equipment for the new school. Equipment with a replacement value of approximately \$159,000 will be moved from the present Oliver Ames High School. The Committee approved a budget of \$298,000 for the purchase of movable equipment for the new high school.

Throughout the year the committee received bids and approved contracts for most of the fixed equipment to be purchased under the original general contract.

At no increase in the general contract the committee approved the substitution of a special brick to replace the cement block originally specified in the plans.

The committee accepted the resignation of Mr. Wallace Gilmore as a member of the committee. Mr. Gilmore had been with the project since the formation of the original study committee and had contributed much time and energy to the project.

The committee requested the Selectmen to call a Special Town Meeting on October 26, 1970 for the purpose of requesting the additional funds necessary to complete the school. This Town Meeting voted approval of The \$465,000 necessary to fully complete the project.

The State Emergency Finance Board approved the borrowing of these additional funds. Subsequently the committee awarded the contract for the completion of the site work. The development of the athletic fields and the construction of the drive to Randall Street.

As the year closed the project was behind schedule, however the general contractor is optimistic that the completion date of July 1971 will be met.

The committee is indebted to Mr. Richard Chase for his interest and help throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted

ROSS BRIDGE, Chairman

DR. GOODWILL STEWART

LEWIS ARIES

JAMES DeCOUTO

THOMAS OLLIFF

DR. VINCENT WRIGHT

LEO McEVOY

DONALD DINEEN

ALLAN MacLEAN

RICHARD HAM

ALFRED GOMES

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

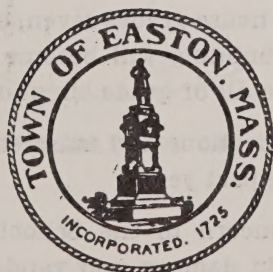
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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

of the

TOWN OF EASTON

MASSACHUSETTS



For the year ending December 31, 1970

Report of the School Committee

To the Citizens of Easton:

The School Committee submits the following Annual Report for the year 1970, the One Hundred and Forty Third Annual Report made by the Easton School Committee. Your School Committee has tried to keep informed on all school activities throughout the past year. Considerable time has been devoted toward making sure that the Easton School System maintains its good performance, while insuring that the townspeople get good return on their considerable dollar investment in our schools and their programs.

The following reports of the Superintendent of Schools and Principals describe the programs and accomplishments of the past year. In addition, we would like to note the following key areas.

FACILITIES

The new high school is still under construction and we refer you to the report of the Building Committee for more details. Upon its completion, it will house grades ten, eleven and twelve and will be named Oliver Ames High School. The present high school building will become the Easton Junior High School and will house grades seven, eight and nine. The present junior high building will become the Easton Middle School and will house all of grade six and part of grade five.

A number of renovations and maintenance projects were completed during the past year.

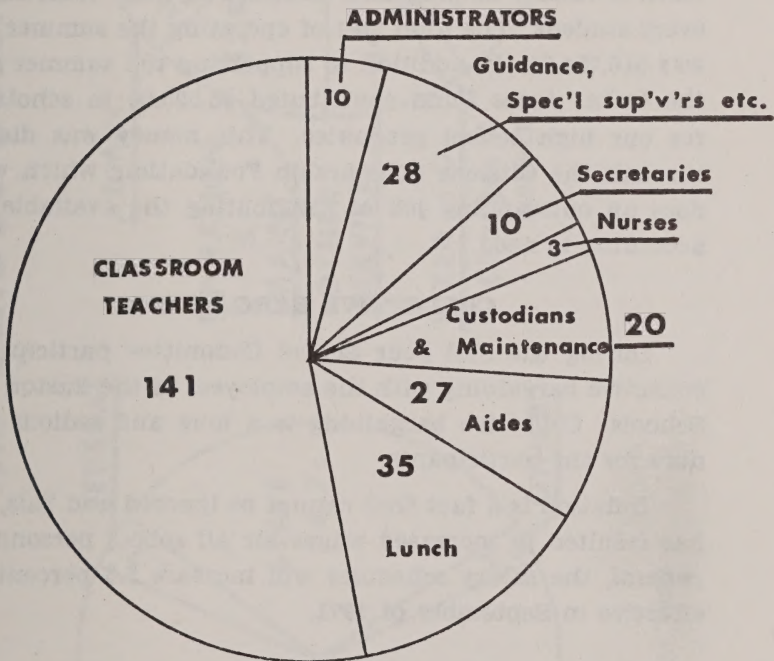
Of particular concern to the School Committee is the continuing increase in damage and vandalism to schools. A conservative estimate of 50 cents on each tax dollar was spent last year to cover repairs. This money provides no return, in any way, to the people of the town.

PERSONNEL

The heart of our school system is the personnel staff and we are pleased with their overall performance. We thank them for the townspeople.

PERSONNEL

(TOTAL 274)



The above shows the personnel distribution.

OLIVER AMES FUND

The Oliver Ames Trust Fund provided \$57,634.12 toward the operation of the schools during the year 1970.

OAKES AMES FUND

The Oakes Ames Fund again contributed most of the money required to operate the summer school. During the summer of 1970 a total of 386 students participated in the various programs. A total of 16 teachers and a director provided a variety of programs designed to offer something for every student. The total cost of operating the summer school was \$10,754.24. In addition to supporting the summer school, the Oakes Ames Fund contributed \$5,525.00 to scholarships for our high school graduates. This money was disbursed through the Citizens Scholarship Foundation, which we feel does an outstanding job of distributing the available funds according to need.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

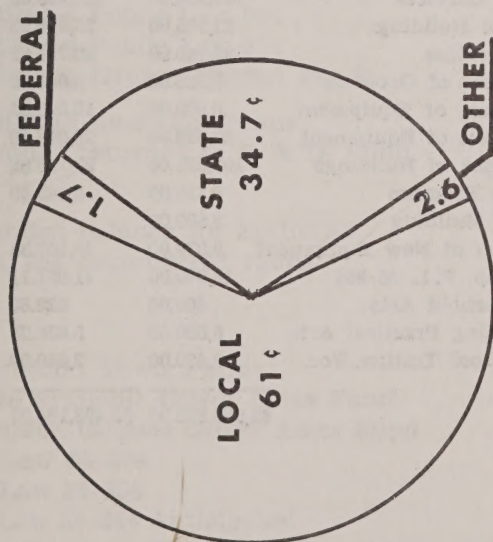
During the Fall your School Committee participated in collective bargaining with the employees of the Easton Public Schools. Collective bargaining is a long and tedious procedure for the participants.

Inflation is a fact that cannot be ignored and this, alone, has resulted in increased wages for all school personnel. In general, the salary schedules will increase 5.6 percent to be effective in September of 1971.

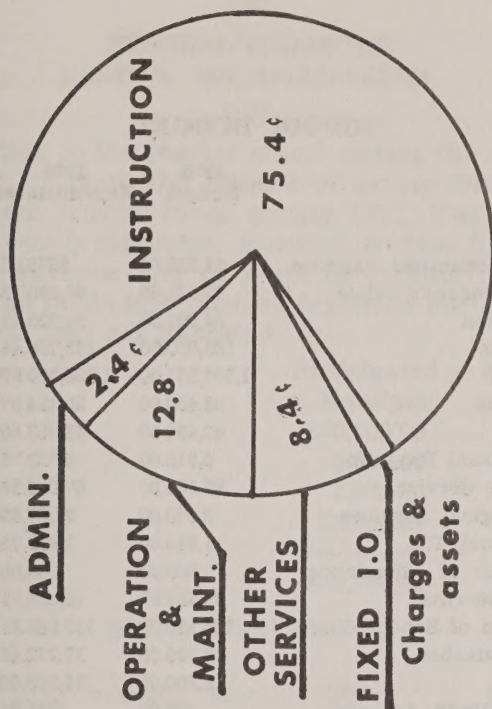
BUDGET

A significant amount of time is spent reviewing and planning the budget. Significant increases this year are the result of increased enrollment and transportation requirements and increased costs of basic services such as, electricity and fuel oil. One of the questions we, as a committee, always try to answer on each added expense is that it be economically, as well as educationally justified.

THE SCHOOL DOLLAR



WHERE IT COMES FROM



WHERE IT GOES

SCHOOL BUDGET

		1970	1970	1971
		Budget	Expenditures	Budget
Function				
1100	School Committee Expense	\$1,325.00	\$678.42	\$3,290.00
1200	Superintendent's Office	62,121.00	60,990.78	69,443.00
2100	Supervision	34,097.00	34,025.43	37,841.00
2200	Principals	135,056.00	133,756.48	164,675.00
2300	Teaching	1,591,537.00	1,526,300.60	1,834,847.00
2400	Textbooks	33,400.00	35,124.57	32,000.00
2500	Library	42,494.00	41,983.60	50,033.00
2600	Audio-Visual Program	6,915.00	6,923.76	8,705.00
2700	Guidance Services	87,161.00	87,996.39	107,235.00
2800	Psychological Services	2,640.00	2,637.60	2,760.00
2900	Educational T.V.	1,618.00	1,865.75	1,700.00
3100	Supervisor of Attendance	300.00	300.00	350.00
3200	Health Services	28,253.00	25,824.71	29,028.00
3310	Operation of School Buses	135,580.00	135,862.81	158,912.00
3400	School Lunches	15,790.00	17,772.46	14,925.00
3510	Athletics	15,500.00	15,500.00	16,500.00
3520	Student Body Activity	800.00	771.04	1,650.00
4110	Custodial Services	127,384.00	130,146.06	154,001.00
4120	Heating of Buildings	22,775.00	25,636.92	47,455.00
4130	Utility Services	30,140.00	29,718.81	40,805.00
4210	Maintenance of Grounds	9,168.00	9,004.10	16,643.00
4230	Maintenance of Equipment	9,900.00	10,905.52	16,088.00
4240	Replacement of Equipment	27,668.00	26,017.20	24,763.00
4220	Maintenance of Buildings	103,622.00	99,736.06	81,276.00
5200	Insurance Program	5,310.00	3,545.50	5,250.00
5300	Rental of Building	3,500.00	.....	.....
7300	Acquisition of New Equipment	9,029.00	10,107.34	15,571.00
7300	New Equip. P.L. 85-864	16,000.00	11,051.11	16,000.00
2000	Voc. Household Arts	600.00	522.80	800.00
2000	Voc. Evening Practical Arts	6,800.00	5,838.25	9,300.00
9100	Trade School Tuition Voc.	3,400.00	2,640.90	6,000.00
		\$2,569,883.00	\$2,493,184.97	\$2,967,846.00

**FEDERAL PROJECTS
EASTON, MASSACHUSETTS
1971**

In addition to the regular school budget the school committee must estimate the amount of money which may be allocated from federal funds during 1971. The anticipated receipts are purely estimates. However, if these funds are not budgeted in advance they may not be expended if received. Some of these funds must also be expended during the fiscal year in which they are allocated.

Project	Anticipated Receipts	Anticipated Expenditures
Title I	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
Title II	2,800.00	2,800.00
Title V	1,000.00	1,000.00
P.L. 90-576	32,000.00	32,000.00
Total	\$65,800.00	\$65,800.00

BUDGET SUMMARY

1970

A. Regular Appropriation, March 1970	\$2,415,803.36
Expenditures Oliver Ames Funds	57,634.12
Expenditures Public Law 864	1,460.00
Expenditures Public Law 874	46,736.20
Expenditures George Barden Funds	784.00
Expenditures Available Funds	\$2,522,417.68
Unexpended returned to E. & D. Fund	27,772.71
	\$2,494,644.97
Unexpended balance for Sprinkler P.L. 864 encumbered funds	1,460.00
	\$2,493,184.97

1971

B. Appropriation Town Funds	\$2,844,104.91
Estimate available Oliver Ames Fund	50,000.00
Unexpended balance Oliver Ames Fund	23,727.69
Public Law 85-874	7,920.00
Public Law 85-864	12,743.97
Public Law 85-864 Anticipated	2,487.31
Reading Program Title I 89-10	25,987.12
P.L. 90-576	875.00
	\$2,967,846.00

ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS FOR SCHOOLS 1971

Chapter 70 Sales Tax (Entitlement)	\$793,809.00
State Tuition and Transportation State Wards	3,607.00
Town of Sharon	1,437.00
State reimbursement for transportation	104,587.00
Reimbursement for mentally retarded and physically handicapped	24,776.00
Rental of halls, custodian wages (estimate)	1,200.00
Tuition Evening Practical Arts	875.00
Chapter 71 Section 6D	102,896.00

Total estimated reimbursement on account
of schools \$1,033,187.00

Anticipated net cost to the town \$1,810,917.91

\$1,810,918 divided by 3444 (October 1, 1970 enrollment
equals \$525.81 per pupil)

39% education costs are provided through state and
Federal Funds

BASIC TEACHERS' SALARY SCHEDULE**Effective September 1, 1971****Steps for Successful Teaching in Easton**

15 years	\$100.00
20 years	200.00
25 years	300.00
30 years	500.00

Step	Bachelor's	Master's or Master's Equivalency	Master's & 30 Sem. hrs.	2nd Master's CAGS, CAS, or 30 hrs. in a Doctoral Program	Earned Doctorate
1	\$7500	\$8100	\$8400	\$8700	\$9200
2	7838	8438	8738	9038	9538
3	8191	8791	9091	9391	9891
4	8691	9291	9591	9891	10391
5	9082	9682	9982	10282	10782
6	9491	10091	10391	10591	11091
7	9918	10518	10818	11118	11618
8	10364	10961	11261	11561	12161
9	10830	11430	11730	12030	12530
*10	11317	11917	12217	12517	13017
11	11826	**12426	12726	13026	13526
12		12958	13258	13558	14058

*Maximum Non-Degree

**Maximum Masters Equivalency

CONCLUSION

Your School Committee wishes to thank their fellow townspeople for the interest, good will, support and cooperation they have shown during 1970.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO McEVOY, Chairman
 NORMAN A. ANDERSON
 ELIZABETH READY
 PAUL T. SMITH
 DR. GOODWILL STEWART

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Easton:

I hereby submit my fourteenth annual report as Superintendent of the Easton Public Schools, including those of the supervising principals. This report is the eighty-fifth in a series since the town authorized a superintendent of schools. The reports of the elementary school principals and specialists are summarized and the reports of the principals of the Easton Junior High School and the Oliver Ames High School are printed in full.

RETIREMENTS

During the past year a number of people retired from the Easton School System after serving the schools faithfully for a number of years.

Mrs. Veronica Carter, Business Education Department Chairman and teacher at the Oliver Ames High School.

Mrs. Anne Bromley, teacher in the Business Education Department, at the Oliver Ames High School.

Mrs. Jeannette Smith, teacher in the elementary schools.

Mrs. Marjorie Sellon, secretary to the principal of the Oliver Ames High School.

Mr. John Gustafson, head of the maintenance department.

Mrs. Elva Bailey, cafeteria manager at the Parkview School.

Mrs. Jennie Hagg, cafeteria worker at the junior high school.

Mr. Walter Webster, custodian at the North Easton Grammar School.

We all wish them many happy years of retirement.

In addition to the retirements Mr. Clyde Craig resigned his position as assistant principal at the Oliver Ames High School. Mr. Norman Pulaski, a teacher with several years experience at the high school was appointed to fill this position. Mr. Valentine Muscato coach of basketball during the past seventeen years resigned as coach of this sport and Mr. William Nixon was appointed to fill this position.

OAKES AMES AND OLIVER AMES TRUST FUNDS

During the past year the Oakes Ames Trust Fund provided funds for the operation of the summer school program as well as a number of scholarship awards to graduates who are furthering their education. The Oliver Ames Trust Fund provided a sizeable sum of money which was contributed toward the operation of the Easton School system. The foresight of the Ames family in providing these funds is deeply appreciated by the students as well as the citizens of Easton.

MAINTENANCE

During the past year a number of major maintenance projects were completed in our schools. The following renovations were made:

In the junior high school building new floors were laid, the inside of the building was painted, new toilet fixtures were installed in two classrooms and the parking and play area new lighting fixtures were installed. New outside doors were installed at the Eastondale School. At the North Easton Grammar School a new sprinkler system and new floors were installed in two classrooms and the parking and play area was resurfaced.

The old section of the Oliver Ames High School was completely painted inside and a new baseball backstop installed for use of the school as well as the Little League.

The town has a large investment in its school buildings and a certain amount of money should be invested regularly each year for repairs and improvements. Replacement is much more expensive than improvements. Unfortunately certain people do not appreciate the wonderful buildings which we have. Vandalism, such as breaking windows, writing on buildings and painting on bricks costs the taxpayers of Easton a considerable amount of money each year. In addition, vandals removed a large portion of the copper flashing on buildings and painting on bricks costs the taxpayers months. The cost of replacement for this item alone was over \$2,000.00

Due to the anti-pollution regulations the cost of fuel oil in our schools during the next calendar year will be about doubled.

NEGOTIATIONS

The school committee spends much time each year in negotiating salary schedules and working conditions with its

employees. At the time this report is being prepared it appears that satisfactory solutions have been reached for the next school year.

TOWN GROWTH

In my report in 1969 I emphasized that the Citizens of Easton must be aware that the town is growing at a much faster pace than it has been in the last fifteen years. When school opened in September 1970, we had 150 more new pupils enrolled. This is a larger number that we had experienced in any one previous year during the past fifteen years. We are anticipating the opening of the new Oliver Ames High School on Lothrop Street in September. This will temporarily relieve our over-crowded conditions in our schools. However, plans should be made now for additional facilities for expected increased enrollments. It takes approximately three years to plan and construct a new school. This means that we cannot expect new construction to be completed before September of 1973 or 1974.

Metcalf and Eddy in preparing the Master Plan for the Town of Easton have recommended the following additional school facilities:

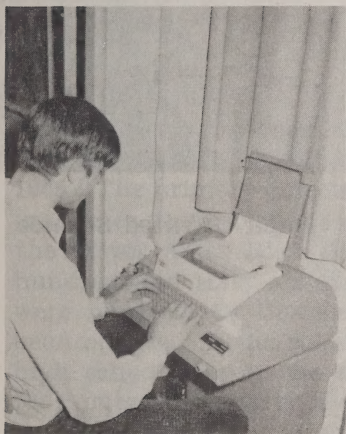
- (a) One twenty-four room elementary school by 1975.
- (b) One twenty-four room elementary school by 1980.
- (c) Addition to the new high school presently being constructed.

During the present school year many of our classes have too many students to accommodate a good educational program. A number of classes are also housed in areas which are not conducive to a good educational experience, such as play areas and basement rooms. With the opening of the new high school in September many of these problems will be alleviated temporarily.

THE CURRICULUM

The school curriculum in Easton is constantly being assessed and improved by the faculty and administrators where changes are warranted. I believe a majority of our students are happy in the school environment which is provided. Most of the curriculum is relevant to the needs of the pupils and many of our young people are engaged in school programs beyond the regular school day. Unfortunately we cannot say that none of our Easton youth are involved with drugs or other juvenile delinquency activities, however, the school program does provide a variety of activities such as the ath-

PROGRAMS HAVE CHANGED



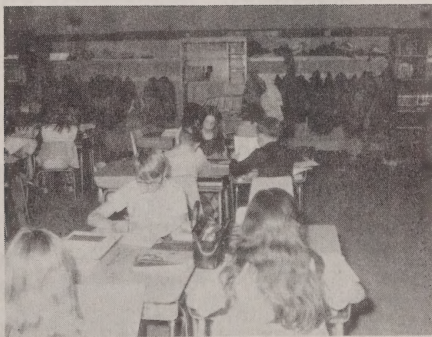
Computer Programming



Foods Class for Boys



Individualized Instruction

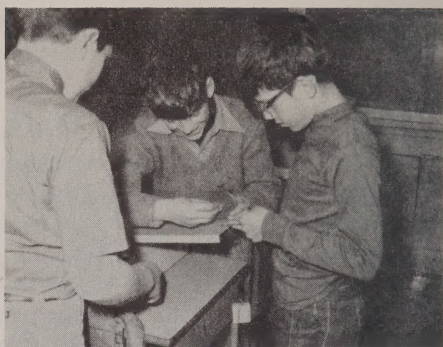


Improvised Classroom

(Parkview)



Elementary School Psychologist



Pupil Oriented Science

STYLES CHANGE



letic program, the music program, dramatics, social activities and a number of others which keep young people active and busy. As a result of these school activities many of the youth problems are minimized.

EVALUATION

Each year a number of evaluative tests are administered in our school system. Scores are compared with the pupil's potential. Teachers work with the individual student in order that he may better achieve his maximum potential.

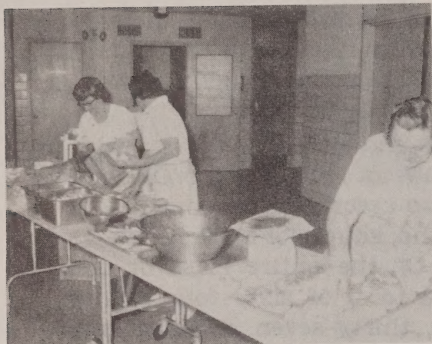
Last spring the Guidance Department at the Oliver Ames High School did a five year follow-up study of the Class of 1965. (The primary objective was to ascertain from our recent graduates their feelings about the educational program at the Oliver Ames High School.) Of the entire class of one hundred and sixty-six students a total of sixty-four replies were received. Of those replying, thirty-seven students had been enrolled in the college preparatory curriculum while in high school. Yet of the total number of respondents, fifty-four pursued some type of formal education after graduation. It is gratifying to note that all but five earned their degrees from the schools that they enrolled in originally. However, they overwhelmingly stressed the fact that they received strong academic preparation at Oliver Ames and because of this were better prepared for studies on the college level.

GUIDANCE

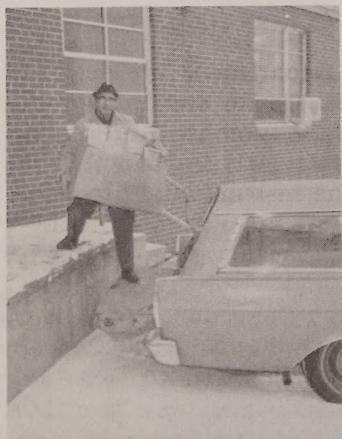
The objectives of the Guidance Department are accomplished through a variety of methods. Group and individual meetings with pupils, parents, and faculty constitute a major segment of our duties. This is particularly important and relevant since we attempt to adapt the instructional program to the individual student in the light of his own specific aptitudes, interests, and vocational goals. This year we have organized a series of curriculum meetings involving a specific department, the administration of both the senior and junior high schools and the staff of the Guidance Department. Through this method of close communication we hope to better serve the needs of each student.

Dr. Nancy Newbert has completed her first year of service as school psychologist working primarily at the elementary level. During that time she has conferred with more than seventy-five parents and worked actively with more than two hundred and twenty-five pupils at all grade levels in the Easton School System. Work with individual students

"BAG" LUNCH PROGRAM FROM PARKVIEW TO N.E.G.



Preparation



Transportation



Distribution

has varied from initial evaluation periods to an ongoing counseling relationship during which a weekly scheduled appointment is maintained.

Throughout the past year members of the Guidance Staff have been actively engaged in assisting students in meeting their particular, individual, objectives, be they concerned with the attainment of further education after graduation or the securing of a full-time employment position. The disposition of the class of 1970 is as follows:

	Students	Per Cent
Four-year colleges	60	38.4
Two-year colleges		
(liberal arts, tech. bus.)	28	17.7
Nursing (R.N.)	3	1.9
Trade Schools	11	6.9
Evening Schools	2	1.2
Preparatory Schools	1	.6
Employment	47	29.6
Military	4	2.5
Married	0	.0
At Home	1	.6
Unknown	1	.6
	159	100%

SCHOOL LIBRARIES

The school library or Resource Center as it is generally called today, should be the most important part of any school program. The Resource Center offers a variety of media to encourage and to motivate the learning situation. The libraries or Resource Centers in Easton not only have a good collection of books, but we have film strips, materials for overhead projectors, microfilm, super 8 projectors, cassette tape recorders, video tape recorders, controlled readers, copying machines, 16mm projectors and record players. Education, if it is to be successful, must be approached in a variety of ways. The impact on a child is double when he can see something on a screen as well as on the written page. Some children relate well to one type of media and some to others. Technology is providing us with many new avenues of approach to this important business of learning and we must provide all avenues if we are not to fail our children.

In our system we now have a professional, fully qualified librarian in both the high school and junior high school and

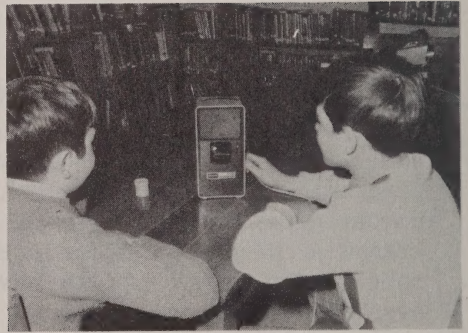
LIBRARIES HAVE CHANGED



View Models



Borrow Books



View Filmstrips



Listen and Read

I think our aim should be the same for the elementary schools. Our present library aides do a remarkable job with no professional training. In the high school I hope that the clerical and technical help will be increased considerably so that the librarian may have more time for professional duties with students, teachers and elementary library aides.

We continue to rent or borrow a large number of films from such agencies as the Massachusetts Department of Education, private industry, professional lending libraries, the Federal Government, and Project Spoke. Collections of filmstrips, super 8 films, slides, and transparencies are being added to individual schools and departments as a supplement to the curriculum. Instructional television in the form of the 21" Classroom, a series of educational programs based on the needs of the 185 member systems as well as the education profession, remains a valuable teaching tool. Programming includes systematic sequential course work, general foreign language study for elementary schools, specialized course work, current social issues, and in-service and general informational for administrators, teachers and students.

SCIENCE

Science has moved from the theory of the printed page to the activity type of program where pupils explore and do experimentation even at the elementary level.

The new Science Program, AAAS, (American Association for the Advancement of Science), is a new approach to the teaching of science in grades one through four. This curriculum does not involve a text book, but includes teaching guides, pupil manipulative material for investigation and validated evaluation measures.

The pupils experiment with supplied materials and develop their own concepts and understandings through the use of these experimental materials.

At the present time there is a teacher training workshop held weekly, for a period of fifteen weeks, confluent with this new science program.

A total of five teachers received National Science Foundation grants for summer and in-service study. We are fortunate to have been able to replace Mr. Pulaski with an excellent teacher with considerable experience.

We have implemented the ISCS curriculum in the seventh grade for four classes. This is a practical program for individualized science instruction. The response from the

children involved has been favorable. We look forward to next year when all seventh grade pupils will be in the program.

At the Oliver Ames High School in grade nine we are offering four classes in ESCP Earth Science. This is activity-centered with an emphasis on student experimentation. We are pleased with the results of the program so far.

This past summer we offered a highly successful course in Ecology. It again was student activity centered. We are planning to add a course in Ecology for a half year during the regular school year.

We have also implemented BSCS Biology for the accelerated students and ESCS Special Materials for the Work-Study group at the high school. The regular college prep Biology has new textbooks using the latest techniques in biology.

The CHEM-Study Chemistry is given to the accelerated student and a Modern Chemistry program to the college prep student. We are currently rewriting our chemistry program for the non-college student in order to keep it current with the times. We plan to purchase new textbooks for Chemistry for the coming year.

The Physics program is being constantly revised to keep it up-to-date with new textbooks being purchased this year for the accelerated and college prep students. We incorporate the best from PSSC and Modern Physics in the program. We plan to offer Project Physics for the coming year. This course emphasizes individual activity with the discovery method. This will be offered to the non-college and technical student.

Our Science Seminar program, Science IV, is again offered as the terminal course for the accelerated student. It caters to the individual student interest in a variety of advanced areas.

MATHEMATICS

Our new computer was an immediate success when introduced in September. We are extremely pleased by the interest and stimulation generated by the addition of this equipment. Presently the computer is being involved in our regular college preparatory classes in grades ten through twelve. Next year we would like to introduce a separate course in computer science to utilize this facility to a greater degree. We hope to give students an appreciation for the computer and an awareness of its potentials and limitations.

Several teachers have recently completed an eight week course in computer usage presented by Systems for Educational Time Sharing, Inc., held at the Canton High School.

During the summer four members of the mathematics department participated in the revision of courses in the following areas: Grade 7 — lower and middle groups; Grade 8 — lower and middle groups; Algebra I — lower groups; and Math IV — middle group. It is planned to complete the modernization of the mathematics curriculum next year.

MATH LEAGUE

On October 15 the first meeting of the South-Eastern Mathematics League was held at two area high schools. We are proud to announce that our team, which consists of ten boys, including one senior, won first place. Win or lose, these meets provide a great deal of enjoyment for our students.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

It appears to be the aim of the Department of Education on the federal and state level to fund and to promote occupational education as a solution to poor economic status and living conditions. The aim of education in the '70s is that all non-college bound students leaving school or finishing high school, must have a saleable skill. Also that the student have a flexibility of knowhow, so that he can be retrained as well as make use of opportunities for extended education.

The name Industrial Arts should be changed to Industrial Occupations. With this title and change in emphasis to experiencing the work of the worker in various occupations, we would be more in line with the requirements of our students. Many schools over the last ten years have dropped the name of industrial arts for something more meaningful.

I believe that our new school facilities, can provide experiences for students to become semi-skilled and skilled workers. We are not training for a specific trade, but should provide the student with:

1. A general mechanical background
2. Ability to operate tools and equipment.
3. A training to operate machines safely
4. A knowledge of the properties of materials
5. Experiences with the basic processes by which manufactured materials are changed into products.
6. A feeling of worker responsibility
7. A knowledge of how industry functions

The 7 M's of Manufacturing	Management
	Money
	Materials
	Methods
	Men
	Machines
	Marketing

8. Tryout experiences in major industrial occupations
9. A discovery of talents
10. Initiative and Inventiveness to do problem solving
11. Specific information about occupations experienced.

HEALTH

In order to be participants in a successful school program students must be well nourished and healthy. Parents should encourage good health habits and be certain that young people have plenty of rest and a nourishing breakfast before they leave for school each day.

This fall a number of local physicians contributed their time to help with the physical examinations at the secondary level. We are most grateful to the physicians who participated in this program.

Physical examinations have been completed in kindergarten, grades 4, 7 and 11 and on all pupils who participate in the athletic program.

Audio-visual testing has been completed on pupils in grades K-12. A flu clinic was administered to all school personnel and chest x-rays have been completed for all grade 12 students. The T.B. Tine test has been administered to all pupils in grades four and nine.

MUSIC

Instrumental class instruction now serves over two hundred elementary pupils and sixty junior high. Elementary classrooms have weekly visits by the music specialists and junior high general music now meets in four classes per week for a half year. A new stringed instrument development program has more than tripled enrollment in orchestra training to over forty-five violin, viola, cello, and double bass players.

Students from the high school have participated in music festivals beyond our own school program. Seven went to Southeast District in Attleboro, one to All-State in Waltham, and sixteen to S.E.M.S.B.A. in Rockland. Ten junior high

pupils were successful in auditions for a S.E.M.S.B.A. Junior High Program at Silver Lake Regional High School with over thirty participating schools in this area.

Concerts were presented by all performing organizations in their schools throughout this year. Elementary band and chorus students presented outdoor concerts at all the elementary schools including kindergartens. The junior band and chorus traveled to Silver Lake Regional Junior High in Kingston. The Oliver Ames Band and Concert Choir presented programs at M.C.I. Bridgewater, Winthrop, Maine, and three outdoor concerts at our elementary schools in the spring.

ENGLISH

During the school year 1969-1970, and in the summer of 1970, various members of the English Department completed a major revision of the English curriculum for grades seven, eight, eleven, and for the clerical course in grade ten.

We are considering electives for the non-college student in grades eleven and twelve to replace the traditional type course we have now. We may also try to have elective courses for the college and clerical oriented student to supplement his regular program if he wishes. These courses would be on a semester basis.

In all grade levels the stress is upon reading, spelling, vocabulary building, and functional grammar. The literature program provides a good background for those individuals who are continuing their education beyond high school as well as those who are not continuing their formal academic education, but who, it is hoped, will use much of their leisure time effectively through reading.

With our curriculum which, of course, is always in constant revision, in grades seven through twelve, we feel we are meeting the present and future needs of all the students who are attending the Easton junior and senior high schools.

SOCIAL STUDIES

The year 1970 brought continued change within the Social Studies Department. The curriculum implementation continued on schedule, with World Cultures II being offered on the 9th grade level and American Studies II being offered to the 11th graders. Next year the final phase of this new program will be started. To prepare for this, all Juniors received questionnaires concerning proposed classes for 1971 at the Senior level. The courses chosen for inclusion resulted

from meetings with Guidance and the Administration, and student interest. The present programs now being used have new curriculums which were written during the past year and during last Summer.

This new approach to Social Studies has necessitated in more teacher preparation due to the variety of books used within any course, plus the increased reliance on such other media as microfilm, video-tapes, and audio materials. The fact that our library is becoming a multi-media resource center helps our programs greatly, and without the cooperation of the library staff our programs could never be fully operational.

Student activities have remained at the same high level of previous years both inside and outside the classroom. Field trips have been taken to Boston, The United Nations in New York, Massachusetts Correctional Institute at Bridgewater, and throughout Easton. Each of these trips furthered the ability of the student to see for himself what has been studied, and in this respect provided valuable reinforcement of what had been taught.

Teachers in the department have been active in many phases of endeavor. All now have familiarity with SPOKE and its uses, and at least six have taken courses at SPOKE varying from Video-taping to writing of curriculum. SPOKE has proven itself valuable in this respect. Two teachers attended the National Council for Social Studies Convention in New York over Thanksgiving weekend, and much valuable material was obtained for bettering our offerings in the future. During May of 1970, Oliver Ames High School was asked to participate in a panel at the New England Librarian's Association meeting held in Connecticut. We were asked because of our great micro-forms utilization in the library, and the conference pointed out how much further along in primary source materials we were, than other schools in the North East. University Microfilms has asked us to send them how we are presently utilizing this material, and this has been done. The *New York Times* also requested information, and presently we are one of a small number of schools on the East Coast being observed because of our microforms utilization. Foremost in this area has been Mr. James Bougas with his American Studies classes, and we are gaining much publicity because of his endeavors. Presently we are expanding our materials so that all courses may utilize this material.

CONCLUSION

The expenditures for education must be evaluated as an investment in young people, our most important resource, and in the future of our country. The constant devaluation of the dollar, the increased numbers of pupils entering our schools from a growing community such as Easton and the general increase in prices and wages has made the general public very much concerned about these high expenditures. Some other form of support other than the general property tax must be found if we are to give our young people the type of training which they must have for the next century. I hope we will not fail the young people who have many complex problems which must be solved.

It has indeed been a pleasure for me to have served as the chief administrator of your schools during the past year. I do sincerely appreciate the support and understanding of the School Committee, the Citizens of Easton and all the personnel of the Easton School System. We are all working together for one common goal, the education of the young people of Easton.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP M. HALLOWELL,
Superintendent of Schools

O.A.H.S. ACTIVITY ACCOUNT

December 31, 1970

Account	Receipts	Payments	Balance
Class of 1971	\$7,642.08	\$5,752.75	\$1,889.33
Class of 1972	5,376.45	3,214.43	2,162.02
Class of 1973	1,547.72	1,020.49	527.23
Class of 1974	304.55	3.00	301.55
Eastoner	4,641.09	4,319.67	321.42
Student Council	4,341.68	3,978.33	363.35
Glee Club	1,741.84	1,352.51	389.33
Library Fund	217.40	125.05	92.35
Honor Society	183.37	165.94	17.43
General Fund	2,482.73	2,395.41	87.32
Olivian	656.72	407.74	248.98
Awards	5,008.58	4,578.35	430.23
Accommodations	11,376.87	9,442.23	1,934.64*
	\$45,521.08	\$36,755.90	\$8,765.18**

Ecology Club	\$60.25
Cheerleaders	58.06
Drama Club	317.05
F.N.A.	36.09
F.T.A.	79.60
Gym Jam	210.07
Instrumental Music	109.16
Radio Club	237.40
Science Club	6.64
Spanish Club	38.48
Graphic Arts Club	77.77
Class of 1970	497.76
Freedom Trail Trip	24.14
French Club	166.51
Innisfree	58.25

	\$1,977.23
Less Advances	42.59

	\$1,934.64*
Checkbook Balance	\$8,308.48
Savings Balance	456.70

 \$8,765.18**

Financial Statement

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Receipts 1970

Cash on hand, January 1, 1970	\$26.01
Balance, Hockey Fund	2,953.32
Appropriation, March 1970	15,500.00
Receipts from Admission to Athletic Contests	7,286.24

Total Receipts	\$25,765.57
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Expenditures 1970

Transportation of Teams	\$5,146.94
Officials for Games	3,085.50
Athletic Equipment and Supplies	13,073.97
Cleaning and Renovating Equipment	1,424.45
Miscellaneous	2,307.86
Ice Time	700.00

Total Expenditures	\$25,738.72
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Balance in Town Treasury December 31, 1970	\$26.85
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OAKES AMES FUND

Summer School Appropriation	\$10,754.24
Summer School Expenditures	10,754.24
Scholarships	5,525.00

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

CASH RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Opening Cash Balance	\$42.17
Sales	112,878.40
Reimbursement received from state	45,940.27
School Budget Receipts	17,772.46
Total Cash Available	\$176,633.30
Less Expenditures for:	
Food	\$100,773.06
Salaries	54,822.93
Other	3,255.42
School Budget Expenditures	17,772.46*
Total Expenditures	\$176,623.87
Closing Cash Balance	\$9.43

* Function 3400 School Budget

ENROLLMENT — OCTOBER 1, 1970

	N.E.G.	Unville	So. Easton	Parkview	Center	Edale	F.V.	Jr. High	High	Total
K		111	172							283
1	106			81	58	29	28			302
2	104			78	27	55	24			288
3	90			58	83	25	25			281
4	113			60	86	30				289
5				166	116					282
6				163	111					274
Sp.				9						9
7								287		287
8								283		283
9									230	230
10									210	210
11									223	223
12									203	203
Total	413	111	172	615	481	139	77	570	866	3444
	Total Elementary						2008			
	Total Junior High						570			
	Total High School						866			
	Total Enrollment						3444			

CENSUS REPORT

The annual census of school attending children was taken as of October 1, 1970, as required by law.

	Boys	Girls	Total
Attending the Easton Public Schools	1590	1499	3089
Attending Private Schools	7	.....	7
Attending Vocational Schools	30	2	32
	1627	1501	3128

SCHEDULE OF "NO SCHOOL" SIGNAL

The sirens of both the North Easton and South Easton fire stations will be used to sound the "no school" signal. The signal will be two blasts sounded three times in succession (2—2—2).

6:45 a.m.—No school all day at the Junior-Senior High Schools.

7:30 a.m.—No school all day in the elementary schools.

"No school" signals will be used only when weather conditions are unusually severe. The scattered population of the town and the extensive pupils transportation system make it necessary to sound the signal, if at all, a considerable time in advance of the opening hour of school sessions. It occasionally happens that weather conditions which appear promising at the hour the signal should be sounded become severe by the time many pupils start for school. Parents are requested to use their judgment in such cases as to whether or not a child should attend a school session. Absences from school under these circumstances will be marked in the school register with distinctive marks and will not be counted against the child's perfect attendance record on the report cards.

Graduation Exercises

OLIVER AMES HIGH SCHOOL

CLASS OF 1970

Class Motto: Great thoughts like great deeds
need no trumpets

Class Colors: Blue and Gold

High School, Easton, Mass.

Thursday Evening, June 4, 1970
at 7:30 O'Clock

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL—Fanfare and Processional **Elgar**

INVOCATION—Rev. John J. Murphy

ADDRESS OF WELCOME BY THE CLASS PRESIDENT
John Miller

ADDRESS—Dr. Vincent P. Wright, Executive Vice-President
Stonehill College
“Challenge and Response”

BAND SELECTION—Concerto Grosso in D Minor **A. Vivaldi**
Band Director—John L. Schuller

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS
Mr. Leo D. McEvoy, Chairman
Easton School Committee

ALMA MATER **John L. Schuller**
Director of Music Education

BENEDICTION—Rev. Kenneth E. Bjorklund

RECESSIONAL—Fanfare and Recessional **J. Ployhar**
Mrs. Donald MacKinnon, Organist

Class of 1970

Donna Louise Allen
 Linda Joette Amorim
 Diane Louise Andrews
 Paul Lewis Aries
 Carla Azersky
 Allan Baker
 Deborah A. Baker
 Diane E. Barrett
 Thomas Parker Barry
 Mark Louis Berry
 Barbara E. Blackmore
 Joanne Marie Bodio
 Judith Ann Buck
 Catherine Jean Buler
 Paul Calarese
 Stephen Cali
 Donna Lee Carr
 Cathy Louise Chapman
 Thomas Dale Carlson
 Timothy Neil Carlson
 Bonnie Marie Cavaliere
 George Henry Chase
 Xavier Chickering
 George Malcolm Christenson
 William Louis Clay
 Jonathan Jackson Coe
 Kathleen Ann Connelly
 Allan L. Covell
 Everett A. Cushman
 Jean Elizabeth Doherty
 Joan Marie Dray
 Denise Elaine Dwyer
 Gail Marlene Eidson
 Sharon Lee Farrington
 Marion Ferrante
 Deborah Ann Ferrara
 Jane Fleming
 Nancy Louise Flynn
 Thomas L. Fournier
 Brian Kelly Fox
 Paul Manuel Freitas
 Roy Randolph Fuller
 Richard Furlong
 Rosemary Ann Gallant
 Toni Gallo
 Allan Dustin Gildersleeve
 Amanda Gilmore
 James A. Goveia
 Gary Clinton Goward
 Joanne G. Grant
 Judith Greely
 Christine M. Griffin
 Dale Winn Guglia
 Richard M. Hahn
 Linda Nancy Hallett
 Diane Jean Hanscom
 Nancy Jean Hanscom

Janice Norma Hatchfield
 Janice L. Hayes
 Barbara Jeanne Healey
 Carolynne R. Henzie
 Donna Elaine Hicks
 William Charles Hobbs
 Cathy L. Holmes
 Dianne Louise Hurley
 Michael Paul Iarrabino
 Edwin F. Johnson
 Lynda Jane Kaake
 William H. P. Kelly
 James C. Kempf
 Sharon Ann Kempf
 Gwendolyn June Kidder
 Christine Carole Killam
 Cheryl C. Kimpton
 James Eugene King
 Kristina Ruth Lappin
 Nancie Jean Lawrence
 Robert Lindelof
 Kathleen Gail Loiselle
 Joanne Looney
 Cheryl Ann Luciano
 Lisa Mary Lupica
 Ann Marie McCarthy
 Diane J. McCoy
 Christopher Stephen McKenna
 Janis Ann McLellan
 Stephen J. Macuch
 Diane Marie Manning
 Steven C. Marshall
 Lee Ann Martin
 Ralph Michel
 John Miller, Jr.
 Paul Johnson Miller
 John Robert Mills
 Donalyn Molander
 Betty Jane Moore
 John Thomas Morrisette, Jr.
 Jeffrey Lee Morse
 Frances Louise Muir
 Kathleen Ann Murphy
 John William Murray
 Brenda Elaine Neubauer
 Christina Marie Niland
 Paula Sue Nisenbaum
 Bradford Verne Norman
 David Carl O'Brien
 Peter O'Connell
 Willard Russell Olliff
 Mark Warren Olson
 Roy A. Olson
 Paul E. O'Neil
 Suzanne Marie Pacini
 Donna Marie Page
 William Everett Palm

Stephen Robert Perrin
Theresa M. Pratt
Frank Eugene Puopolo
Holly Anne Randall
John Thomas Ready
Barry Reynolds
Raymond J. Richard, Jr.
John Gregory Riley
Virginia Ellen Rollins
Daniel G. Rose
Claire St. George
Jane Marie Savard
Richard Allan Sherman
Mark Andrew Silva
Barbara Jane Simpson
Holly Lynne Smith
Clare Elizabeth Snow
Alyson Sousa
Elliott John Southworth
Sidney Lee Southworth

Lynne Joyce Stanwood
Linda Mae Stromberg
Barbara Jean Sullivan
David William Sullivan
Gary Robert Sullivan
Susan Barbara Elizabeth Svirsky
Brian Joseph Sylvester
Robert W. Tardie
Deborah Ann Taylor
Leslyn Christine Tirrell
Barbara Ann Toomey
Carol Ann Tracy
Teresa Marie Tully
Judith P. Watts
Gerald A. Webster
Dianne Raymona Wilcox
Karen A. Willis
Marcia M. Willis
John Malcolm Winters
Deborah Lee Woodworth

In Memoriam

JUDITH A. SAVARD

Class of 1970

February 27, 1952-February 18, 1970

LIST OF HONORS

Graduated with High Honors

Bonnie Cavaliere
Cathy Chapman
William Clay
Jean Doherty
Kristine Lappin
Diane McCoy

Janis McLellan
John Murray
Peter O'Connell
Theresa Pratt
Elliott Southworth

Graduated with Honors

Allen Baker
Catherine Buler
Joan Dray
Denise Dwyer
Paul Freitas
Rosemary Gallant
Amanda Gilmore
Joanne Grant
Lynda Kaake

John Miller
Donalyn Molander
Kathleen Murphy
Suzanne Pacini
Brian Sylvester
Deborah Taylor
Teresa Tully
Judy Watts
Marcia Willis

Departmental Honors

High Honors

Marcia Willis
Jean Doherty
Diane McCoy
Theresa Pratt
John Murray

Stenography
English
English
English and Mathematics
Engineering Drawing I & II and
Mathematics

Honors

Jean Doherty
Kristina Lappan
Cheryl Kimpton
Diane Andrews
Donalyn Molander
Peter O'Connell
Janis McLellan
John Murray

French
Social Studies
Stenography
English
English
English and Science
Mathematics
Science

High honors are earned by pupils whose yearly marks in a particular department are all "A's"; honors are given to those who have received but one "B", all other yearly marks being "A". Honors are not given in subjects requiring less than two years in curriculum nor to any pupil pursuing a subject less than the maximum number of years.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

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Summer Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	
Monday to Friday inclusive	
Employment Certificates written at the office only.	

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term—January 4, 1971 to February 12, 1971 inclusive
 Spring Term—February 22, 1971 to April 16, 1971 inclusive
 Summer Term—April 26, 1971 to June 25, 1971 inclusive
 Fall Term—Opens September 8, 1971

The regular meetings of the School Committee shall be held on the second and fourth Mondays of January, February, April, May, June, October, November, and December, providing those days do not fall on Holidays, and on the second Monday of September, February and March, the first Monday of July and August at 7:30 p.m.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

Name	Subject or Grade	Where Educated	Date Appointed
Julian S. Preuss	Principal	Springfield College, B.S., M.Ed.	1954-1
W. Norman Pulaski	Asst. Principal	Nasson College, B.S.	1962-9
Birute Silvia	Director of Guidance	Boston University, M.Ed.	1961-9
Bradford S. Chase	Guidance Counselor	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1965-1
		Northeastern University, B.S.	
		Northeastern University, M.Ed.	
Frank E. Jardin	Guidance Counselor	Northeastern University, B.S.	1970-9
		Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	
		College of New Rochelle, A.B.	
Susan Shulga	Guidance Counselor	Boston College Graduate School, M.Ed.	1968-9
		Tri-State College, B.S.	1963-
Malcolm Allen	Industrial Arts	Genesco State College, B.S.	1963-9
Frances R. Andrus	Librarian	University of Maine, B.A.	1970-9
Jean Balboni	English	Boston University, B.F.A.	1968-9
Lois Barnes	Art	Marist College, B.A.	1970-9
Vincent Boccalini	English	So. Dakota State College,	1969-11
George E. Brodie	Work Study	University of R.I., B.S.	
		Northeastern University, B.S.	1968-9
James Bougas	Social Studies	Bridgewater State College, A.B.	1969-9
Cheryl J. Bromley	English	Merrimack College, B.A.	1969-9
David M. Cleary	Social Studies	Bryant College, B.S.	1970-9
George A. Costa	Business Education	Boston University, A.B., M.A.	1957-9
Helen L. Doherty	French, Dept. Head	Stonehill College, B.A.	1964-9
James Elson	English	Nyack Missionary College, B.S.	1969-9
Alan W. Emerson	Social Studies	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1969-9
Christopher England	Science	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9
Gloria J. Ferrandino	Physical Education	Boston University, B.S.	1970-9
Barbara Folley	Business Education, Dept. Head	Boston University, M.A.	
		Stonehill College, A.B.	1969-9
Francis D. Garcea	English	Purdue University, B.A.	1969-9
Karen Grundberg	English	Northeastern University, B.A.	1968-9
Beverly A. Hanna	Science		

William D. Hardin	Science, Dept. Head	Eastern Nazarene College, A.B. Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. Boston College, C.A.S. Boston University, A.B. Northeastern University, M.Ed. Rutgers, A.M. Colby College, A.B. Columbus University, M.A. Boston State College, B.S., M.Ed. Bridgewater State College, A.B. Stonehill College, A.B. Boston College, M.A.T. University of Massachusetts, B.S. Wesleyan University, A.B. Fitchburg State College, B.S.E. University of Massachusetts, M.Ed. Boston University, B.S. Boston State College, M.Ed. Bridgewater State College, B.S. Notre Dame University, B.S. Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. Stonehill College, A.B. Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. Framingham State College, B.S. Bowdoin College, A.B. Boston University, M.A. Bridgewater State College, B.A. Eastern Nazarene College, B.S. Bridgewater State College, B.S. Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. Bridgewater State College, B.S. Fitchburg State College, B.S. Northeastern University, M.Ed. East Carolina University, B.M., M.M. Keene State College, B.S., M.Ed., U.N.H.	1961-9 1963-9 1957-9 1964-9 1969-9 1963-9 1965-9 1962-9 1969-9 1966-9 1958-9 1953-11 1954-9 1958-9 1965-9 1966-9 1966-9 1970-9 1962-9 1966-9 1968-9 1963-9
Donald B. Harrison	Mathematics		
Eero R. Helin	Physical Education Dept. Head		
Paul H. Hughes	Social Studies		
John C. Hurley	Mathematics		
Francis V. Ialenti	French		
Edward F. Lemish	Mathematics		
John I. Lowndes	English		
Vincent Mack	Industrial Arts		
Joanne M. Meade	Business Education		
Gwendolyn N. Metcalf	English		
Valentine P. Muscato	Biology, Athletic Director Coach		
William F. Nixon	Social Studies		
Ruth G. O'Connell	Asst. Coach		
Duncan B. Oliver	Household Arts		
Bruce A. Palombo	Social Studies, Dept. Head		
Robert Pratt	Science		
Ronald F. Reynolds	Science		
Suzanne Rivard	Physical Education		
Gardner Sherman	Industrial Arts, Dept. Head		
Virginia H. Shipp	Music		
Willis K. Smith	English, Dept. Head		

School Organization—Continued

Name	Subject or Grade	Where Educated	Date Appointed
Paul Sullivan	Mathematics, Dept. Head	Worcester State College, B.S., M.Ed. Bridgewater State College, M.S. University of North Caroline, M.A.T.	1969-9
Wanda Tamulis	Spanish	Emmanuel College, B.A.	1968-9
Mary Tracy	French, Spanish	University of Madrid, Spain, M.A. Stonehill College, A.B.	1962-9
Stephen Trombly	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	1968-9
Marguerite J. Turcotte	French	Northeastern University, B.S. Purdue University, M.A.	1970-9
Jaan Veenpere	Drafting	Emmanuel College, B.A. Bridgewater State College, B.A.	1970-9
William J. Waas	Business Education	Boston College, M.A.	1967-9
Carl E. Wagner	Math	Salem State College, B.S. University of Iowa City, B.A.	1970-9
Phyllis Webber	Household Arts	University of Santa Clara, MSTM	1965-9
Edward M. Weiner	Math	Framingham State College, B.S.	1970-1
Robert J. Wooster	English, Driver Education	Bentley College, B.S.A.	1959-9
Ellen Owen	Secretary, Principal's Office	Stonehill College, A.B.	1970-9
Elsie Rockwell	Secretary, Principal's Office		1965-9
Leslie Gustafson	Jr. High School Guidance Office		1960-8
Florence Farrell	Secretary, Guidance Office		1969-9
Eleanor Porter	Clerical Aide—Dept. Heads Library Aide		1969-9
EASTON JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL			
M. David Varella	Principal	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	1958-9
J. John Buckley	Asst. Principal	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1961-9
Douglas Anderson	Music	Boston University, B.M.	1970-9
Mary K. Arnberg	Reading	Boston University, M.M. State College at Worcester, B.A.	1968-9

Patricia A. Bailey	English	Bridgewater State College, A.B.	1966-9
Kenneth W. Brooks	Mathematics	Bridgewater State College, B.A.	1969-9
Janet M. Cash	Conversational French	Boston State College, A.B.	1969-9
Joseph V. Casieri	Ind. Art & Mech. Drawing	Franklin Technical Inst.	1969-9
Janice Cress	Music	Texas Woman's University, B.S.	1969-9
Roberta Delegard	Art	University of Minnesota, B.A.	1970-11
Dale E. Erickson	English—Dev. Reading	Bridgewater State College, A.B.	1969-9
Sarah Gallahue	Reading	Stonehill College, A.B.	1961-9
Anne M. Giardina	Art	Bridgewater State College, M.Ed.	1970-9
Richard J. Gothage	Math	Emmanuel College, B.A.	1970-9
Linda J. Greene	Physical Education	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1966-9
Robert J. Kass	Social Studies	Wayne State University, B.S.	1969-9
William P. Keach	Science	Bridgewater State College, B.A.	1968-9
Paul L. Keyes	Social Studies	Northeastern University, B.A.	1964-9
E. I. George Larson, Jr.	Science	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1962-9
Gerard J. Linehan	Social Studies	Boston State College, B.S.	1969-9
Claudette E. Lucier	English—Dev. Reading	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9
Bradford Morse	Physical Education	Boston University, M.Ed.	1969-9
Robert V. Natusch	Science	Northeastern University, B.S.	1969-9
Patsy A. O'Boy	English—Dev. Reading	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1969-9
Janet B. Neilson	Home Economics—Part Time	Stonehill College, A.B.	1970-9
Shirley V. Peterson	Math	University of Massachusetts, B.S.	1970-9
Timothy Rioux	Guidance Counselor	Bridgewater State College, A.B.	1967-9
David M. Ryan	Science	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1966-9
Richard W. Sanders, Jr.	Social Studies	St. Michael's College, A.B.	1969-9
Linda Simonson	English	Fitchburg State College, B.S.	1970-9
Joyce Snyder	Math	Skidmore College, B.A.	1970-9
Richard J. Tellier	Music	Salem State Teachers College, B.A.	1970-9
Shirley Tufts	Household Arts	State College at Lowell, B.M.E.	1966-9
Susan Warren	Guidance Counselor	Michigan State University, B.S.	1949-9
Doris Walsh	Librarian	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1963-9
Greta Sundell	Secretary, Principal's Office	Simmons College, B.S.	1957-9
Grace Duhamel	Clerical Aide—Teachers		1969-9

School Organization—Continued

Name	Subject or Grade	Where Educated	Date Appointed
NORTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT			
Olive H. Gurney	Principal	Olive H. Gurney, Supervising Principal	
Jean C. Barry	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1944-9
Mary M. Buckley	Grade 2	Tufts University, A.B.	1963-9
Grace C. Clark	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College	1945-9
Jane Connelly	Grade 1	Wheelock College, B.S.	1970-9
Elaine T. Bogdanchik	Grade 3	Salem State College, B.S.	1967-9
Viola Geddes	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1968-9
Rosemary Hanlon	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1936-9
E. Constance Heath	Grade 4	State College, at Boston, B.S.	1969-2
Helen C. Hooker	Grade 4	Boston University, B.S.	1962-9
Gail E. Kass	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1960-11
Marilyn Leedberg	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9
Lorraine P. Legare	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1966-9
Marie A. Levenson	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9
Sadie McGarry	Remedial Reading	Ann Maria College, A.B.	1969-9
Deborah A. Oser	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1968-9
Elizabeth A. Smith	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1964-9
Dorothy Hill	Secretary—Principal's Office	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1970-9
Joan Nolan	Librarian Aide—Teachers	Wheelock College, B.S.	1965-9
			1957-9
			1967-10
SOUTH EASTON SCHOOL			
Rose Slavitz	Kindergarten—Head Teacher	Lesley College	1954-1
Priscilla M. Hayward	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1959-9
Priscilla Leighton	Kindergarten	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1965-9
UNIONVILLE SCHOOL			
Doris Leach	Kindergarten—Head Teacher	Perry Normal	1926-9
Edith M. White	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B.S.	1969-9

PARKVIEW SCHOOL

Alden P. Randall, Supervising Principal

Principal		
Alden P. Randall		Boston University, B.S. 1963-9
Patricia A. Baker	Music	Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. 1964-9
Edith M. Bergstrom	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed. 1959-9
Mary P. Bisbee	Grade 2	Boston State College, B.S., M.Ed. 1963-9
Elouise G. Carlson	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S. 1950-9
Adelle Coe	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed. 1970-9
Anna E. Coffee	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S. 1959-9
Patricia M. DeCoste	Physical Education, Elem.	Boston University, B.S. 1962-9
Alice DeCouto	Physical Education, Elem.	Bridgewater State College, M.Ed. 1970-9
Elizabeth A. Evans	Grade 3	Springfield College, B.S. 1966-11
Janice M. Ferreira	Grade 5	Boston University, B.M. University of Mass., B.A. 1970-1
Sandra F. Garrett	Grade 1	University of New Hampshire, M.A. 1969-9
Barbara W. Goldstein	Special Education	E. Carolina University, B.S. 1954-9
Patricia E. Gutauskas	Grade 6	Gorham Teachers' College, B.S. 1965-9
Ellen J. Harrison	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S. 1970-9
Rosemary E. Hartley	Grade 1	Lesley College, B.S. 1969-9
Mary V. Harvey	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed. 1922-9
Mary Louise Heath	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College 1958-9
Betty Jacobs	Grade 1	Lesley College, B.S. 1963-9
Martha C. Johnson	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College 1952-9
Jean M. Kent	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed. 1967-9
Denise S. King	Grade 5	Stonehill College, A.B. 1968-9
Eleanor T. Lewis	Grade 4	Fitchburg Teachers' College, B.S. 1959-9
Evangeline Lovell	Remedial Reading	Westfield State College, B.S. 1961-9
Patricia Marcotte	Speech Therapist	Bridgewater State College, M.S. 1965-9
Wilma B. Medeiros	Art	Boston University, B.S. 1968-9
Nancy Newbert, (Dr.)	School Psychologist	S.M.T.I., B.S. Wheaton College, B.A. Columbia University, M.A., B.U., Ed.D. 1969-9

School Organization—Continued

Name	Subject or Grade	Where Educated	Date Appointed
Barbara M. Reis	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1970-9
David J. Rodriquez	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1970-9
Frank Sahl	Grade 6	Boston University, B.S.	1962-9
Karlene M. Smith	Grade 6	Northeastern University, M.Ed.	1970-9
Louise Styren	Secretary, Principal's Office	North Park College, B.A.	1964-12
Anne Williams	Librarian, Aide—Teachers		1967-10
Betty Verity	Clerical Aide		1969-9
SOUTH SUPERVISORY DISTRICT			
Neil Mosman	Principal	University of Massachusetts, B.A.	1965-9
Neil Mosman, Supervising Principal		State College At Worcester, M.Ed.	
Carol Bromowski	Grade 4	Stonehill College, B.A.	1970-9
Joan M. Chassey	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1970-9
Beatrice Clem	Remedial Reading	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1957-9
Diana Crooks	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1961-9
Richard Hill	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1967-9
Gary W. Hilmer	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.A.	1960-9
Carol E. Kenney	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1970-1
Margaret Lynch	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1958-9
Anne Maluzkiewicz	Grade 3	Lesley College, B.S.	1969-9
Cynthia Martell	Music	Stonehill College, B.A.	1970-9
Irma E. Mayhew	Grade 1	Eastern Nazarene College, B.S.	1970-9
Mary F. Meehan	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1963-9
Mary Lee Morgan	Grade 5	Mills College of Education, B.S.	1970-9
Doris Savard	Grade 4	Stonehill College, A.B.	1969-9
Jeralyn Smith	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1958-9
Charlotte H. Stoughton	Grade 6	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1967-9
Linda R. Waitekunas	Grade 4	Bates College, A.B.	1967-9
	Grade 5	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9

Joan B. White	Grade 5	Danbury State College, B.S.	1966-9
D. Franklin Wishart	Grade 6	Babson Institute of Business Admin., B.S.	1968-9
Lill Rideout	Secretary—Principals' Office	Boston State College, M.Ed.	1954-2
Erina Rodenbush	Librarian—Teachers		1967-10
Esther Mahoney	Clerical Aide		

EASTONDALE SCHOOL

Eleanor Biechele	Head Teacher, Grade 1	Wheelock College	1946-2
Velma R. Johnston	Grade 3	Keene Teachers' College, B.S.	1969-9
Martha Ann Lundgren	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1970-9
Jacqueline L. Swanson	Grade 2	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1969-9
Juanita E. Treadwell	Grade 4	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	

FURNACE VILLAGE SCHOOL

Edna McGranahan	Head Teacher, Grade 2	St. Joseph the Provider, B.S.	1969-9
Susan Peluso	Grade 1	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9
Lorna Paone	Grade 3	Bridgewater State College, B.S.	1969-9

SUPERVISORS

Eileen Fitzgerald	Reading Consultant	Bridgewater State College, B.S., M.Ed.	1963-9
Judith Yankopolous	Art Supervisor	Southeastern Mass., Tech. Inst., B.S.	
John L. Schuller, Jr.	Director of Music	Bridgewater State Teachers College, M.Ed.	1967-9
		Boston University, B.M.	1968-9

PENMANSHIP

William L. Rinehart

MAINTENANCE

E. Verner Lundgren	1963-9
William Hatchfield	1964-9
John Olson	1970-9
James Doherty	1969-6

Helen Borgeson *	Cook	Easton Junior High School	1967- 9
Helen Pooler *		Easton Junior High School	1970- 9
Winifred Phair *		Easton Junior High School	1970- 9
Ruth Coffey *		Easton Junior High School	1970- 9
Hilda Silva *		North Easton Grammar School	1959- 1
Dorothy Pasalaqua *		North Easton Grammar School	1970-10
Ethel Dinsmore	Manager	Center School	1954- 3
Marjorie Cushing	Cook	Center School	1961-10
Kathleen Beale	Cook	Center School	1968-12
Janet Jokschi	Cook	Center School	1958- 9
Alice LaCouture *		Center School	1964- 9
Lillian Pooler *		Center School	1970- 9
Avis Campbell	Manager	Parkview School	1959- 9
Doris Fitton	Cook	Parkview School	1963- 9
Evelyn Hilmer *		Parkview School	1964- 9
Gemma Thomas	Cook	Parkview School	1967- 9
Patricia Mielde	Cook	Parkview School	1967- 9
Vera Cruickshank *		Parkview School	1970- 9
Edith Johnson *		Parkview School	1970- 9
Shirley Varney *		Eastondale School	1968- 9
Helen Baker *		Eastondale School	1968- 9
James Tully *	Transport Lunches	Furnace Village School	1970- 9
John Sylvia *	Transport Lunches		1967- 9

* Part Time Employees

SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTOR

Mitrano Chevrolet Co.

All Routes

Report of the Finance Committee

To the Citizens of Easton

The Finance Committee hereby respectfully submits its Annual Report, together with recommendations on the Budget and Articles appearing in the Warrant for the 1971 Annual Town Meeting.

General

This Annual Report of the Finance Committee has been expanded in an effort to more fully inform and apprise the voters of Easton as to our 1971 financial requirements and the recommendations of the Finance Committee concerning the 1971 Town Budget and all appropriate Warrant Articles. A glossary of Town Finance Terms has been provided, together with an accounting of Reserve Fund Transfers voted by the Finance Committee during 1970.

With but very few exceptions, we have met with every Department Head and Commission and Board Chairman, as well as meeting with the Board of Selectmen and Administrative Assistant on several occasions, to review and evaluate all Budget requests and Warrant Articles.

Lacking a Wage and Personnel Board, or other formalized procedure for establishing salary and wage schedules, the Finance Committee finds itself in the position of recommending salary adjustments in fairness to Town employees, while at the same time, being cognizant of the taxpayers ever increasing burden. We have attempted to make recommendations as to employee salary and wage adjustments consistent with job requirements and responsibilities and consistent with pay scales in comparable communities and in industry. We feel it most important to properly motivate and reward our Town employees with adequate wage levels. It should, of course, be realized that the great bulk of Town employee salaries and wages are negotiated thru Collective Bargaining by the School Department with the School employees and by the Board of Selectmen with the Fire, Police, Highway, Tree and Water Departments.

With minor exceptions, requests and recommendations for the Town operating budgets are increased over last year. In addition, a number of Articles in the Warrant call for substantial expenditures.

A real effort has been made by the Finance Committee to make recommendations with a view toward eliminating or deferring all but those items considered necessary for the proper functioning of the Department involved and in the best interests of the Town as a whole.

The continued demand of a growing community for a high level of services, coupled with a steadily increasing school age population and the impact of inflation, are the major factors contributing to the increases in the amounts to be raised to support our 1971 Town Budget.

General Government

We feel that the addition of an Administrative Assistant will be a most valuable adjunct to the operation and functioning of our Board of Selectmen. As our Town continues to expand, we need full-time, professional leadership. We feel that the Administrative Assistant should be given more direct control over those Departments and individuals directly responsible to the Board of Selectmen. We are in full support of the 1970 recommendations of the Town Government Study Committee to establish a five man, unpaid Board of Selectmen, together with a well qualified Administrative Assistant as our primary governing body.

The amount recommended for Engineering services has been increased (\$5,000 to \$8,000) based on our continuing need for this service with the rapid development of our Town and its associated drainage and sewage disposal problems. We feel the time is not too distant when a full time Town Engineer will be required. We are in support of the Board of Assessors request for computerizing tax bill preparation. It is expected that future savings will accrue by reducing clerical effort associated with tax bill preparation and by reducing temporary borrowing costs, by providing for earlier issuance of the tax bills.

Protection Of Person & Property

Except for the School Department Budget, this category represents our largest Budget requirement (approximately 56% of our total Budget). With the advent of Collective

Bargaining, together with increased personnel in the Fire Department, the budgets in this category have increased significantly — Police Budget up 55% in 2 years; Fire Department Budget up 70% in 2 years; Highway Department Budget up 32% in one year. About 12% of the Highway Budget is associated with operation of the present Sanitary Landfill Site together with increased rubbish collection costs resulting from the State-wide ban on burning. Collective Bargaining for these Departments is under the Board of Selectmen's jurisdiction; Police and Fire — 2 year contract thru 1971; Highway, Tree and Water Departments — 3 year contract thru 1973.

We feel that Highway, Tree and Water Department employee wage adjustments are generally proper as salary and wage levels in these Departments were in need of re-evaluation, relative to other Town employees.

School Department

Almost unheard of in these days of ever-increasing School costs, Easton's proportionate share of the South-eastern Regional Vocational School has been reduced over 1970, primarily due to increased State reimbursements. However, the Easton School Department Budget has increased 13% over 1970. Most of this increase is in the area of salaries and wages. The Expense Budget has increased 9%. School Department increases are based on a number of factors: staffing of new High School, increased pupil enrollment, inflationary impact on costs of goods and services, collective bargaining wage adjustments and improved teaching conditions (smaller classes, clerical aides, etc.).

Other

Other Departmental Budget are more minor in magnitude and we feel within reasonable levels consistent with Departmental requirements.

Warrant Articles

Six of the Articles in the 1971 Warrant pertain to correction of drainage problems in various areas of the Town. (Articles 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, and 49) with a total requested amount of \$128,845.

We feel it most unfortunate that the taxpayer has to bear the burden for drainage correction on work that has been improperly performed by various site developers. We

strongly urge that those Town Officials having responsibility in this general area strive to insure that we do not continue compounding this problem. It is recommended that a sound program for drainage correction be established and programmed over a period of time on a priority basis with finite cost and work requirements delineated. It is felt that as much as possible of the work be performed by the Highway Department.

All Warrant Article recommendations have been made with the intent of minimizing tax levy appropriation in this, a crucial tax year, recognizing of course, that some requirements are only being deferred rather than eliminated.

Estimated Tax Rate

An accurate projection of our 1971 tax rate could not be made at time of this printing since State "Cherry Sheet" figures, one of the major tax rate factors, were not available. We have been advised by the State, however, that for rough estimates, 1970 figures might be used. We have been advised by the Board of Assessors that although 1971 assessments are not finalized, the sum of \$66,500,000 could be used as an estimate. Based on these approximations, and based on Finance Committee recommendations on Town Budget and Warrant Articles, our 1971 tax rate is estimated at \$56, an increase of \$14 over our 1970 rate. Of this increase, about \$9 is associated with our new High School bond issue.

The sum of \$67,320 has been recommended to be transferred from available funds ("free cash") under Article 5 to reduce the tax rate and is included in this estimate.

This most significant tax rate increase is a result of several factors: new High School Bond issue, increased school operating costs, increased salaries and wages granted under Collective Bargaining, increased service requirements together with inflationary impact on goods and services, coupled with only a modest increase (1.5 million) in offsetting assessed valuation.

Conclusion

In an effort to best evaluate our 1971 financial requirements, the Finance Committee has held a total of 31 meetings representing approximately 900 man-hours in review of Departmental Budget on Warrant Articles. It is sincerely hoped that these recommendations will be given careful consideration by the Town Meeting.

The Finance Committee finds itself in a most excellent position of appraising and assessing the overall operation of our Town governmental and organizational system. The experiences of our Committee over the years emphasizes the need for modifying and modernizing the structure and operation of our Town government in those areas where a more economical alignment of functions can be provided with the resultant tax savings benefits. The Finance Committee, therefore, recommends to all of Easton's voters the election of a Commission to establish a Charter for the Town of Easton and urges a "yes" vote on this question on the election ballot.

A pre-Town Meeting sponsored by the Finance Committee will be held on Monday, March 8 at the Town Office to informally review Budget and Warrant Article recommendations.

Due to job relocations and due to work schedules and requirements precluding regular meeting attendance, several resignations occurred in our Committee this year. We felt most fortunate in having competent replacements available.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Board of Selectmen, Mr. Robert Turcotte — Administrative Assistant, and all Department, Board and Committee Heads who have taken the time to review their Budgets with us.

Respectfully submitted,

(30) DONALD E. ANDERSON, Chairman

(27) LEWIS N. ARIES, JR., Vice-Chmn.

(31) ROBERT L. ALGER, Secretary

(9) John S. Ames III*

(6) Robert Keating*

(9) Howard J. Ayers*

(11) John F. McGarry*

(3) James F. Burton*

(24) Roy E. Owens

(14) Walter K. Chisholm, Jr.

(16) Peter L. Perron

(10) John A. DeCoste*

App't'd 11/16/70

(17) Donald E. Dineen

(16) C. James Sullivan, Jr.

App't'd 11/9/70

(15) Richard J. Tobin

(22) Jerome H. Fletcher

App't'd 11/9/70

(8) Richard E. Hall

(20) Robert K. Tufts

App't'd 1/11/71

(28) John H. Walsh

(18) Richard L. Wise, App't'd 11/9/70

* Resigned During Year

() Number of Meetings Attended

Easton Finance Committee

TOWN FINANCE TERMINOLOGY

The following terms are frequently used at Town Meetings and in the Annual Report. These definitions are provided to give everyone a better understanding of their meaning.

Surplus Revenue: (Often called "Excess and Deficiency").

This fund represents the amount by which the Cash, Accounts Receivable and other floating assets exceed the liabilities and reserves.

Available Funds: (Often referred to as Free Cash.)

A fund certified annually by the State Bureau of Accounts by deducting from Surplus Revenue all uncollected taxes for prior years. The resulting balance may be used by a vote of the Town Meeting.

Reserve Fund:

This fund is established by the voters at an annual town meeting only and may be composed of 1) an appropriation not exceeding 5% of the tax levy of the preceding year; 2) money transferred from Overlay Reserve; or 3) both. Transfers from the Reserve Fund are within the exclusive control of the Finance Committee and are for "extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures".

Overlay:

The Overlay is the amount set by the Assessors in excess of appropriations and other charges for the purpose of creating a fund to cover abatements granted.

Overlay Reserve:

This is the accumulated amount of the Overlay for various years not used or required to be held in the specific Overlay account for a given year, and may be used by vote of the town for extraordinary or unforeseen purposes or voted into the Reserve Fund.

Stabilization Fund:

A special account created to provide a reserve for capital expenditures (school construction, etc.). The State will match sums taken from this Fund under certain conditions during

the first year only; and in amounts up to a maximum of \$100,000. Building up of the Stabilization Fund is important for future planning.

Chapter 90 Funds:

These funds are spent for highway construction and maintenance with cooperation of the town, the county and the State Department of Public Works. The shares are: Town 25%, County 25% and State 50% for new construction and one-third each for maintenance.

The Cherry Sheet:

So-called because of its "cherry" red color, this is a balance sheet issued each year by the Department of Corporations and Taxations. It charges our town with its share of expenses of running various state agencies and county government. It credits our town with its share of corporate excise tax, income tax, sales and use tax and Massachusetts School Funds. The assessors are required to use the estimates given in developing the tax rate.

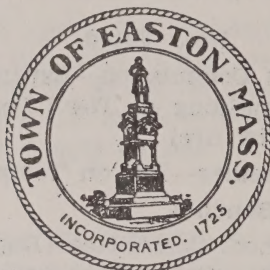
RESERVE FUND TRANSFERS

At the 1970 Annual Town Meeting, the sum of \$30,000 was voted for the Reserve Fund. Transfers from the Reserve Fund were approved by the Finance Committee as follows:

Date Voted	Item Voted	Amount
7/20/70	Recreation Commission—Expenses (Replace building at Town Pool destroyed by fire)	\$5,928
7/20/70	Town Treasurer—Int. on Temp. Loans	5,748
7/20/70	Veterans Benefits	2,500
9/21/70	Easton School Committee (Engineering Study of Jr. High School Structural Weakness)	2,000*
9/21/70	Dog Officer—Care of Dogs	300
9/21/70	Town Treasurer—Int. on Temp. Loans	2,862
9/21/70	Veteran's Benefits	3,200
11/ 2/70	Civilian Defense—Operating Expense	500
12/ 7/70	Highway Department—Regular Overtime	300
12/14/70	Recreation Commission Expense	13
1/ 4/71	Police & Fire Station—Expense	750
1/ 4/71	Selectmen's Office—Engineering Serv.	872
1/ 4/71	Police Department—Court Appearances	102
1/11/71	Highway Department—Snow & Ice Exp.	1,794
1/11/71	Administrative Ass't Expense	35
1/11/71	Employee Group Insurance	2,456
1/18/71	Selectmen's Office—Expense	128
1/18/71	Employee Group Insurance	385
1/18/71	Highway Department—Regular Overtime	34
Total Transferred		\$29,907
Unexpended Bal. transferred to E & D Fund		\$93

* \$504 Expended

TOWN OF EASTON



ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1971

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BRISTOL, SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Easton in the County of Bristol.

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Easton qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium in said Easton on Monday, the 15th day of March, next, at 8:00 p.m. then and there to act upon the following Articles:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors, Board of Health, Water Commissioners, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, School Committee, Town Accountant, Tree Warden and any committee of the Town and take action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the Town charges for the ensuing year, including the salaries of the several elective officers of the Town and make appropriations for the same.

Finance Committee recommends that the sums of money as indicated in 1971 Town Budget be raised and appropriated, or transferred from available funds, for the several specific purposes designated and that the same be expended only for such purposes under the direction of the respective Officers, Boards and Committees of the Town.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day and Armistice Day to be expended under the direction of Elijah A. Morse Camp, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War; George S. Shepard, Post No. 7, American Legion; George F. Schindler, Post No. 2547, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,000. Previous appropriation has been \$750. Increase is recommended due to increased cost of transportation and of obtaining bands and working units.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the Financial years beginning January 1, 1971 and January 1, 1972, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Finance Committee recommends adoption. Under the Town Treasurer's budget, the sum of \$30,000 has been provided for interest payment for temporary borrowing.

Article 5. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to instruct the assessors to use from surplus revenue to reduce the tax levy for the current year.

Finance Committee recommends \$67,320 with a total of \$137,320 certified by the State Director of Accounts, the sum of \$70,000, would be retained for emergency use as might be required.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate for highway purposes, such sums as may be necessary for maintenance, improvement and construction of streets within the Town, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County for the purpose, or to take any action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends sum of \$9,000, under Chapter 90 to be used in conjunction with County and State funds as provided.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract with the Department of Public Works and the County Commissioners for the construction and maintenance of Public Highways for the ensuing year, or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends sum of \$6,449.57 under Chapter 768 to be used in conjunction with matching State funds.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Moth Superintendent in control work against the Dutch Elm Disease.

Finance Committee recommends \$10,984 of this amount. \$10,784 is for salaries and \$200 for expenses. (1970 appropriation was \$9,470)

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of entering into a contract with a private common carrier for the furnishing of or the defraying of the cost of public transportation in the Town under the authority granted by Section I of Chapter 456 of the Act of 1969, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$8,690. (Same as 1970 appropriation)

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a 1971 Cab and Chassis for the Tree Department, and to apply one 1959 Cab and Chassis towards the purchase price of the same, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$7,070. Twelve year old vehicle is no longer able to provide the service required of it in an economical manner.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to purchase two new cruisers for the Police Department and to apply two of the motor vehicles of said Department towards the purchase price of the same and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Finance Committee recommends \$5,979. Continuation of a yearly program deemed to be the most economical arrangement.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a Four Door Sedan for the Police Department, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. It is felt that present two cruisers and one "unmarked" sedan meet Police Department requirements at this time.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a new type Record and Filing System for the Police Department, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

To be dismissed. Included in Police Department Budget.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing Photographic Equipment for the Police Department, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or take any other action relative thereto.

To be dismissed. Included in Police Department Budget.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a 1971 $\frac{3}{4}$ Ton FWD Low Bed Dump Truck for the Highway Department, and apply one 1960 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ton Pick-Up Truck towards the purchase price of the same, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$4,779. Older vehicle costly to maintain. New vehicle has more versatility of use and can be equipped with snow plow to reduce cost of snow plow hiring.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a 1971 Leaf Vac, as described by Highway Department Specifications of January 11, 1971, for the Highway Department and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. With the recommended purchase of Highway Vehicles under Articles 15, 17, and 18, it is felt that this purchase should be deferred. (Cost estimated at \$5,000 - \$7,000)

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a Rear Loader Refuse Body for the Highway Department and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$7,400. This equipment unit together with the Cab and Chassis under Article 18 will provide necessary second "refuse packer" for increased rubbish collection.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a 1971 Cab and Chassis for the Highway Department and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$7,289. This Cab and Chassis is associated with Rear Loader Refuse Body under Article 17.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Fire Chief to appoint five additional permanent firemen to the Fire Department in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 42, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$23,000 has been requested. With thirteen present permanent firemen and an expanded call fireman roster, it is felt that coverage is adequate for present needs.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new car for the Fire Chief and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$3,670 has been requested. It is felt that present car can be retained another year in deference to more urgent requirements.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a Combination Fire Truck for the Fire Department, to replace a 1951 Fire Truck, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

Finance Committee does not recommend. It is felt that present compliment of fire protection vehicles is adequate at this time. (Estimated cost \$45,000)

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds or otherwise provide a sum or sums of money for repairs and restoration of the Town Office Building. Said sums to be spent under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or take any action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$21,117 to complete items (1) and (2). \$41,000 has been requested to: (1) reline gutters with copper flashing and provide new gutters as required. (\$17,817); (2) provide new flashing, replace rotted woodwork and repaint front entrance (\$3,300), seal walls and paint welfare office (\$600); (3) provide carpeting on stairs and in hallways (\$2,500); (4) strip and repaint exterior building side walls, wash and repaint interior walls (\$16,500). It is recommended that other work be deferred.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of doing further work to close the former Town Dump situated off of Baldwin Street, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$29,800 has been requested.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint an Incinerator Committee, consisting of Five Citizens of the Town, to be known as the "Incinerator Committee", to conduct a study of the Incineration needs of the Town, said committee to report its findings and recom-

mendations to the next annual meeting, with vacancies in said committee to be filled from time to time by the Moderator, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting. No appropriation is requested. The Finance Committee questions the need and purpose of such a committee at this time, when the Town Meeting has approved (twice) Sanitary Landfill operation for refuse disposal on Prospect Street.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate from available funds, the sum of \$2,500.00 to keep Oakes Ames Memorial Hall in good order and repair, said sum of money being necessary to pay the maintenance expenses of said hall in excess of the rental and Trust Fund Income, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$2500 (same as 1970 appropriation). This building serves a most useful function to our community and warrants, it is felt, this expense to the Town.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money credited to the Water Department to the Water Bonded Indebtedness Account, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$107,720. This transfer reduces the appropriation required under Item 801-20 (Maturing Debt and Interest) in the Town Budget by this amount.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to set a rate of assessment to be charged to abutters on public ways for the construction of water mains as authorized by Chapter 40 of the General Laws Sections 42G and 42I inclusive, or take any other action in relation thereto.

To be dismissed by the Water Commissioners.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners, for and in behalf of the Town, to purchase, to acquire by gift, or to take by right of Eminent Domain, certain parcels of land situated off Washington Street, Route #138 adjacent to the present Town property, for the development of well sites, and to protect and preserve the purity of said wells, as shown on a Plan in the Town

Clerk's Office entitled "Proposed taking by the Town of Easton for Water Purposes", and supposed to be owned by the following owners Parcel #1, South Easton Cemetery Corporation; Parcel #2, David Ames; Parcel #3, Neubert Morse; Parcel #4, Donald Freeman; Parcel #5, Elise Parker, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. This land is required for development of two additional wells, having been tested and certified by the Water Commissioners as to water availability.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, to purchase, to acquire by deed of gift or to take by right of Eminent Domain, and expenses therefor, certain parcels of land situated off Washington Street, Route #138, adjacent to present Town Property for the development of well sites, and to protect and preserve the purity of said wells, as shown on a plan entitled "Proposed taking by the Town of Easton for Water Purposes", and supposed to be owned by the following owners, Parcel #1, South Easton Cemetery Corporation; Parcel #2, David Ames; Parcel #3, Neubert Morse; Parcel #4, Donald Freeman; Parcel #5, Elise Parker, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends amount requested by the Water Commissioners for land purchase. (Estimated at \$20,000 - \$25,000)

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow a sum of money, to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor and to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to expend the money for the following purposes to install new wells, pumping stations, pumping equipment, to lay water mains necessary for proper connection to the present mains on well site located off Washington Street. Route #138, adjacent to our present Pumping Station. The bonds or notes of the Town to be paid in no more than twenty (20) years in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends the sum of \$120,000 as requested by the Water Commissioners, be raised by borrowing on a ten-year basis for development of new well site as associated with Articles 28 and 29 preceding.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to petition the General Court for a law authorizing John H. McEntee to obtain creditable service for retirement purposes for the years during which he was an employee of the North Easton Village District.

Finance Committee refers this Article to Town Meeting. No appropriation is involved.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Clerk and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of the same.

Finance Committee recommends the sum of \$1,000. It is felt that the office of Town Clerk is most ably and efficiently administered and that this increase is consistent with the responsibilities of this office.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of section 111G of Chapter Forty-One (41) of the General Laws, a fair and concise summary of said section being, that in any Town which accepts said section, any employee thereof who has worked continuously for five years but less than ten years shall be granted an annual vacation of three weeks without loss of pay, and any employee thereof who has worked continuously for ten years or more shall be granted an annual vacation of four weeks without loss of pay, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. It is felt that the present Personnel By-Law vacation schedule is quite adequate.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to initially install a data processing system in the assessors office, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

To be dismissed. Included in Board of Assessor's Budget.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, for and in behalf of the Town, to appoint a qualified Registered Civil Engineer and Surveyor, to serve as Town Engineer, with his services as said Town Engineer available to all departments of the Town, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. At the present time, the utilization of C. A. Pickering Associates as a con-

sulting engineering firm for the Town has proven satisfactory and, for the present, more economical.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 37F of Chapter seventy-one (71) of the General Laws, a fair and concise summary of said section being, that in any Town which accepts its provisions the School Committee may make expenditures from funds appropriated for School Purposes for the employment of Legal Counsel for the general purposes of the committee, and the provisions of section thirty-seven E (37E) of said Chapter (pertaining to the employment of Legal Counsel for collective bargaining) shall not apply to such employment of Legal Counsel by the School Committee, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. The Town Counsel, as appointed by the Board of Selectmen is employed to serve as legal consultant and advisor to all Town officials and Committees and the employment of additional Legal Counsel by the School Committee, we feel, is not warranted. Finance Committee is not opposed to Legal Counsel, however, for collective bargaining which has previously been authorized.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of rebuilding the leaching field at the Parkview School, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval and that the required appropriation (estimated at \$65,000) be provided by borrowing on a ten-year bond issue.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of making certain structural changes, and or repairs in the present Junior High School Building situated on Barrows Street, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

To be dismissed by the School Committee.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Easton Housing Authority to expand its facilities by the construction of such additional units for Housing for the Elderly, as said Housing Authority shall determine to be reasonably necessary and feasible, with said project being known as 667.2 or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting. No appropriation is requested.

Article 40. To see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee to be known as the Sewerage Construction Committee consisting of five (5) citizens of the Town, with preference to be given to the members of the present Sewerage Study Committee, to carry on the necessary work in supervising the construction of said Sewerage System, and its use thereafter, to serve without compensation, to have all the powers and authority usually conferred upon a Board of Sewer Commissioners by law, in accordance with the provisions of section one (1) of Chapter eighty-three (83) of the General Laws, and to enter into, execute and deliver in behalf of the Town, such agreements, contracts and other instruments, as may be necessary in the construction of said Sewerage System, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends. No appropriation is requested.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of starting the construction of a Sewerage System, including a treatment plant, outfall sewer, pumping station, interceptors, sewers and appurtenant work, all as shown on plans on file with the Sewerage Study Committee, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

To be dismissed.

Article 42. To see if the Town will authorize the Sewerage Construction Committee, for and on behalf of the Inhabitants of the Town of Easton, to apply for such Federal or state funds as may be available, or may become available as grants or otherwise, to assist the said Town in defraying the cost of preparing construction drawings and contract documents for the initial phase of the sewerage program, or to take any other action relative thereto.

To be dismissed.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of correcting drainage facilities at School Street and Rachel Circle, as recommended in a report and estimate of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc., dated January 5, 1971, copy of said report and estimate being on file with the Town Clerk's Office, by installation of a new drainage system and repairing and repaving the existing roadway surfaces, all as more fully described in said report and estimate, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or by borrowing in accordance with the provisions of Chapter Fourty-four (44) of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$35,845 has been requested. It is not felt that the work required mostly for repairing, is of an urgent nature. These roads were just recently accepted (1969 Town Meeting).

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of correcting drainage facilities on Pine Lane and Elliot Circle, as recommended in report and estimate of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates Inc., dated January 5, 1971, copy of said report and estimate being on file with the Town Clerk's Office, by installing Drain Manhole, Catch Basins, Headwall, and such other items as are required by said report and estimate, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or by taking any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$11,500 has been requested. It is recommended that this be programmed for future Highway Department work.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of correcting drainage facilities at the intersection of Center Street and Summer Street, as recommended in a report and estimate of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates Inc., dated January 8, 1971, copy of said report being on file with the Town Clerk's Office, by rebuilding existing Catch Basins, installing new Catch Basins, drainage man hole, headwall, storm drain, and doing such other things as are called for in said report, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation,

by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing in accordance with the provisions of Chapter Forty-four (44) of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$30,500 has been requested. Corrective work is not considered of an urgent nature at this time. However drainage correction will be required in the future.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of correcting drainage facilities on Calvin Road, Kenneth Road, and Marshall Road, as recommended in a report of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc., dated January 6, 1971, copy of said report being on file with the Town Clerk's Office, by constructing a new drainage system connecting the existing system on Kenneth Road to the low lying land at Calvin Road and Washington Street, consisting of approximately 900 feet of new twelve inch concrete drain pipe and 4 new structures and such other items as called for in said report, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$19,600 has been requested. It is recommended that initial corrective work be programmed by the Highway Department and that a more definitive requirement for further corrective work be established.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of repairing the Bridge Street Bridge in accordance with the report of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc., copy of said report dated October 9, 1970, being on file with the Selectmen's Office, and determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing in accordance with the provisions of Chapter Forty-four (44) of the General Laws, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$41,000 has been requested. C. A. Pickering Engineering report recommends more economical solutions.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of correcting drainage facilities on Dickerman Road and on Miller Road, as recommended

in a report of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc., dated December 15, 1970, copy of said report being on file at the Town Clerk's Office, by cleaning and rehabilitating existing catch basin covers and structures, installing catch basins at the Northeast intersection of Miller Road and Dickerman Road, connecting the exit of the catch basin to the catch basin at the Southeast corner of Miller Road, exiting the catch basin at the South East corner to the swamp at the Southerly boundary of the subdivision, repaving the roadways with Class I type mix and the roadway shoulders to be repaved to form Cape Cod type Berms, all as described in said report, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$25,500 has been requested. Based on C. A. Pickering engineering report, immediate corrective work could be performed by the Highway Department, with additional work being planned for the future.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to correct drainage conditions on Gilmore Road and on Holly Lane, as recommended in a report of Consulting Civil Engineers, C. A. Pickering Associates, Inc., dated July 2, 1970, copy of said report being on file at the Town Clerk's Office, by filling in a catch basin, removing pavement from and regrading the Easterly side of a portion of Gilmore Road, installing 500 feet of twelve inch drain pipe from Holly Lane to existing drainage system on Pammy's Path, and installing two new catch basins on Holly Lane, all as described in said report, and to determine whether the money shall be provided by taxation, or by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. \$5,900 has been requested. It is recommended that corrective work be performed by the Highway Department.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town by adding thereto the following new By-Law entitled

"SIGN BY-LAW"

Article 1. Purpose

Pursuant to the Authority conferred upon the Town by

General Laws, Chapter 93, Section 29, and Chapter 143, Section 3, and all acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, and by every other law or power it hereto in any manner enabling, the Town of Easton adopts this By-Law, which shall be known as the Sign By-Law, for the regulation and restriction of billboards, signs and other advertising devices within the Town.

Article II. Definitions

For the purpose of this By-Law, the following words and terms used herein are hereby defined or the meaning thereof is explained or limited:

Accessory Sign: Any billboard, sign or other advertising device that advertises, calls attention to, or indicates the person occupying the premises on which the sign is erected or the business transacted thereon, or advertises the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let, and which contains no other advertising matter.

Board of Appeals: The Board of Appeals established or operating in the Town of Easton under the Zoning Enabling Act, or any amendment thereof, or addition thereto.

Building Inspector: The Building Inspector appointed under the provisions of the Building By-Law of the Town of Easton as now or hereafter in force and effect.

Business Area: Any area included within a district zoned primarily for business, industrial, or commercial purposes under the Zoning By-Law. It does not include any area within a district zoned for residential purposes under said Zoning By-Law, as hereinafter defined, regardless of whether the area is being lawfully used or is available for such use through a special permit or a variance granted by the Board of Appeals or through a non-conforming use or by any other means.

Erected: The word "erected" shall include the words attached, built, constructed, reconstructed, altered, enlarged and moved.

Non-Accessory Sign: Any billboard, sign or other advertising device that does not come within the foregoing definition of an accessory sign.

Parking Area: A public parking area or a private parking area that is open to parking of motor vehicles by customers of the store.

Person: The word "person" shall include one or more individuals, a partnership, an association and a corporation.

Residential Area: A residential area is any area situated within a district zoned primarily for residential purposes under the Zoning By-Law. It includes (district designations).

Sign: The word "sign" shall include any letter, word, symbol, drawing, picture, design, device, article and object that advertises, calls attention to or indicates any premises, person or activity, whatever the nature of the material and manner of composition or construction.

Size: In applying the maximum height and width limitations prescribed in this By-Law for signs, any intermediary removable surface to which a sign is affixed shall be deemed to be part of the sign.

Standing Sign: The term "standing sign" shall include any and every sign erected on or affixed to the land and any and every exterior sign that is not attached to a building.

Store: A "store" shall include any establishment, office or place of business.

Street: Any public way or private way that is legally open to public use.

Zoning By-Law: The Zoning By-Law of the Town of Easton as from time to time in force and effect.

Article III. Regulations and Restrictions

Section 1. Residential Areas.

A. Accessory Signs.

1. No accessory sign shall be erected or maintained on any premises in connection with a use permitted in a residential area by the Zoning By-Law, except such accessory sign as may be permitted by the Zoning By-Law.

2. Accessory signs on premises lawfully being used for business or commercial purposes or to mark historic buildings or sites under a valid non-conforming use or under a permit of a variance granted by the Board of Appeals must comply with the provisions of the Zoning By-Law as to accessory signs in residential districts, provided that there may be more or larger accessory signs with specific permission from the Board of Appeals.

3. Accessory signs on premises in residential districts being used as a hotel or as garden apartments shall be limited to one sign not exceeding twelve (12) square feet in area, provided that there may be more or larger accessory signs with specific permission from the Board of Appeals.

B. Non-Accessory Signs

No non-accessory sign shall be erected or maintained in a residential area

Section 2. Business Areas.

A. Accessory Signs.

1. In business areas accessory signs that comply with the provisions hereinafter set forth are permitted. All other accessory signs are expressly prohibited.

a. Location. The sign shall be affixed to a building, except as hereinafter provided. A sign attached to a building shall be securely affixed to one of the walls or a roof of the building. If affixed to a wall, it shall be parallel with and not project more than twelve (12) inches from the face of such wall and shall not project beyond the face of any other wall of the building. If affixed to the roof, it shall be parallel with the front wall of the store and shall not project beyond the face of any wall of the building. No sign, whether affixed to a wall or roof of a building, shall project above the highest line of the main roof of the building, provided, however, that if the sign is attached to a wall having a parapet extending above the highest line of such roof, then the sign may reach but not project above the top of the parapet wall.

b. Size. A sign shall not be more than three (3) feet overall in height. A sign on the exterior wall of the first floor of a building may extend across the full width of the store wall, unless the store occupies the entire front of a detached building in which event the sign may extend across not more than three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the width of the wall. The width of signs of stores occupying other than the first floor of a building shall not exceed three (3) feet.

c. Number. There shall not be more than one exterior sign for each store, except that if the store has a direct entrance into the store in a wall other than the store front, there may be a secondary sign affixed to such wall, and if the store has a wall, other than the store front, that faces upon a street or parking area, there may be a secondary sign affixed to such wall whether or not such wall contains an entrance to the store; provided however, that no store shall have more than two secondary signs in any event. The width of the secondary sign or signs shall not exceed fifty percent (50%) of the maximum permissible width of the sign on the store front. In addition to the foregoing sign or signs, there may be one directory of the occupants or tenants of the building affixed to the exterior wall of the building at each en-

trance to the building. Such directory shall not exceed an area determined on the basis of one (1) square foot for each occupant or tenant of the building.

d. Special Signs. In particular instances the Board of Appeals may permit more than the number of signs hereinabove permitted or signs of a maximum size or in a location other than hereinabove specified, if it determines that the architecture of the building, the location of the building with reference to the street or the nature of the use being made of the store is such that additional signs or signs of a larger maximum size should be permitted in the public interest. In granting such permission, the Board of Appeals shall specify the size and location of the sign or signs and impose such other terms and restrictions as it may deem to be in the public interest.

e. Construction. No sign shall be painted or pasted directly on the exterior surface of any wall, including windows and doors. All signs must be painted, posted or otherwise securely affixed to a substantial intermediary removable surface and such surface shall be securely affixed to the wall of the building. The foregoing, however, shall not prevent installation of a sign by individual letters or devices cut into or securely affixed to the exterior wall of a building, providing that such letters or devices have a minimum depth or projection one fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of an inch. The material of the sign and intermediary surface and the manner of affixation of the sign to the intermediary surface and of the intermediary surface to the wall of the building shall be subject to approval of the Building Inspector for the purpose of protecting the safety of the public.

f. Illumination. Moving and flashing signs are prohibited. No red or green lights shall be used on any sign if, in the opinion of the Building Inspector, such light would create a driving hazard. No sign may be illuminated between 12 P.M. and 6 A.M., except signs identifying police or fire stations and such other signs as the Board of Appeals may specifically authorize to be illuminated at other hours, if the Board finds that the nature of the use of the premises is such that such illumination should be permitted in the public interest.

The provisions of this paragraph shall apply not only to exterior signs but also to interior signs that are designed or placed so as to shine through windows or doors of the building.

g. Standing Signs. Standing signs are prohibited, except as follows:

(1) In particular instances the Board of Appeals may permit standing signs if it determines that the nature of the use of the premises, the architecture of the building, or the location of the building with reference to the street is such that a standing sign or signs should be permitted in the public interest. In granting such permission the Board of Appeals shall specify the size, type and location of the sign and impose such other terms and restrictions as it may deem to be in the public interest.

(2) During the construction of a building a standing sign may be erected on the premises identifying the building, the owner, the contractor, the architects or the engineers but such sign shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet in surface area nor ten (10) feet in any dimension provided it does not exceed 22 feet in overall height. Such sign shall be removed promptly after the completion of the building.

h. Gasoline Filling Stations and Garages.

Gasoline filling stations and garages may, if they elect to do so, divide the one exterior sign affixed to the front wall of the building, to which they are entitled as hereinabove provided, into separate signs affixed to and parallel to such wall and indicating the separate operations or departments of the business, provided however that the total of the widths of the separate signs shall not exceed the maximum width permitted under this By-Law for a single exterior sign on such wall. In addition, one sign, standing or otherwise, indicating the company whose gasoline is being sold may be erected of such type, in such location, and in such manner as the Board of Appeals may permit provided it does not exceed 22 ft. in overall height. The standard type of gasoline pump bearing thereon in usual size and form, the name or type of gasoline and the price thereof shall not be deemed to be in violation of this By-Law. Temporary or movable signs of any and every type are specifically prohibited.

i. Maintenance. All signs whether erected before or after the effective date of this By-Law shall be maintained in a safe condition to the satisfaction of the Building Inspector.

B. Non-Accessory Signs

No non-accessory sign shall be erected or maintained in any business district. This section shall not apply to signs exempted by Section 32 of Chapter 93 of the General Laws.

Article IV. Administration

Section 1. Permits. No sign shall be erected on the exterior of any building or on any land unless and until an application for the erection of such sign has been filed with the Building Inspector, with such information and drawings as he may require, and a permit for the erection of the sign has been issued by him. The fee for such permits shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Selectmen of the Town. The provisions of this section shall not apply to:

A. In residential areas — to permitted signs, except such as by the terms of this By-Law or of the Zoning By-Law are permitted only with specific permission from the Board of Appeals.

B. In business areas — one real estate sign of not over six (6) square feet in total area advertising the sale or rental of the premises on which it is located.

Section 2. Appeal. A person aggrieved by the refusal of the Building Inspector to issue a permit for the erection of a sign or by any order of the Building Inspector under this By-Law may appeal to the Board of Appeals. The provisions of the Zoning By-Law as to the time for taking such appeal and as to the notice of and hearing thereon to be held by the Board of Appeals shall apply to appeals under this By-Law.

Section 3. Enforcement. The Building Inspector is hereby designated and authorized as the officer charged with the enforcement of this By-Law and the provisions of the Zoning By-Law in reference to the enforcement of the Zoning By-Law shall apply also to the enforcement of this By-Law.

Article V — Miscellaneous

Section 1. Temporary Signs erected in the public interest or for political advertising purposes for a period of not more than 30 days shall be permitted. Such signs shall not exceed 100 square feet in area.

Section 2. Non-Conforming Signs. Signs legally erected before the adoption of this By-Law that do not conform to the provisions of this By-Law must be made to so comply within five (5) years after the effective date of this By-Law except that standing signs must be made to comply within five (5) years after the effective date of this By-Law and except that all signs must be made to comply with the provisions of paragraph f, Illumination, of Section 2. A. 1 of Article III within one (1) year after the effective date of this By-Law.

Section 3. Penalty for Violation. Whoever violates any provision of this By-Law shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each offense. Each day shall be considered a separate offense.

Section 4. Severability. The invalidity of any section or provision of this By-Law shall not invalidate any other section or provision hereof.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting. No appropriation requested.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town by repealing Article XIX, pertaining to Outdoor advertising, in its entirety, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting. No appropriation requested.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to amend the BY-LAWS of the Town by adding thereto the following new By-Law:

EASTON CABLEVISION BY-LAW

I. Title and Purpose:

This By-Law shall be known as the Easton Cablevision By-Law. It is created for the purpose of authorizing the installation and operation of Community Antenna Television systems, and for the regulation of said systems, in the Town of Easton.

II. Preamble:

This By-Law is adopted pursuant to the authority conferred upon municipalities by Article 89 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth to authorize the Board of Selectmen to grant permits for the operation of antenna television systems within the limits of the Town of Easton, and to enable said Board of Selectmen to regulate the installation, maintenance, and business operation thereof so as to: (1) protect public ways and places against unreasonable impairment or interference and (2) protect the Town, its inhabitants and persons doing business with permittees against loss, damage or other injury from such installation, maintenance, operation or doing business within the Town. The provisions for the issue of permits hereunder imply no intention to create rights generally for persons to engage or continue in the transaction of the business authorized by the permit, but are adopted with a view only to ac-

comply with the foregoing purposes. No holder of such a permit hereunder shall have any property right in any document or paper evidencing the granting of such permit and issued by the Board. The Board, upon the expiration, suspension, revocation, cancellation or forfeiture of such a permit shall be entitled upon demand to the immediate possession thereof.

III. Definitions:

The following terms shall, in this By-Law, have the following meanings, unless the context otherwise requires:

A. "Assign" or "assignment" shall include any transfer, except by death, of direct or indirect interests in a permit or permittee (1) totalling 10% or more accomplished within any 12 month period, or (2) which would result in a transfer of control of such permit or permittee.

B. "Board," the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Easton.

C. "Cablecasting" means programming distributed on a CATV system which has been originated by the CATV operator or by another entity, exclusive of broadcast signals carried on the system. This term shall be construed to be consistent with the same term as used in the Rules of the Federal Communications Commission relative to CATV systems.

D. "CATV operator" or "operator," a person operating a CATV system.

E. "Community antenna television system" or "CATV system," a facility which receives and amplifies the signals broadcast by one or more television stations and redistributes such signals to subscribing members of the public for a fixed or periodic fee, employing wires or cables passing along, over, under, across and upon streets, ways, lanes, alleys, parkways, bridges, highways and other public places, including property over which a community has an easement or right-of-way; it includes facilities which in addition to providing such reception, amplification and redistribution, are also urged to originate and distribute program material to such subscribers.

F. "Person," shall include a natural person and every firm or organization incorporated or unincorporated.

G. "Regulatory agency," any instrumentality, including the executive, legislative or judicial branches, of the government of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts having jurisdiction over the subject matter of this By-Law and which shall have exercised that jurisdiction in a manner which shall preempt the authority of the Board with respect to the particular matter.

H. "Town," the Town of Easton.

IV. A. No person shall construct, commence construction, operate or otherwise engage in the business of operating a CATV system in the Town by means of wires and cables of its own or of any other person without first obtaining as herein provided a written permit from the Town. Such permit may by its terms be exclusive or nonexclusive as the Board may determine. Each such permit shall contain at least the following provisions and may contain such other provisions as the Board may deem reasonably necessary to carry out the purpose of this By-Law:

1. The area or areas to be served, which may be less than the entire Town.
2. The completion date of the installation of substantially all equipment, wires and cables necessary to serve the named area or areas.
3. The name of the owner of all such equipment, wires and cables.
4. The date service shall be available to the named area or areas.
5. The rates to be charged to subscribers including:
 - a. The maximum duration of each subscription period;
 - b. The maximum advance security deposit, if any, to be paid by subscribers; and,
 - c. The maximum prepayment for service to be paid by subscribers.
6. The term of the permit, which shall not exceed fifteen years.
7. The following provision with respect to violations: "Violation of any of the terms of this permit or of any provision of the Easton Cablevision By-Law or any regulation thereunder may result in the sanctions provided in that By-Law. If not otherwise specifically provided therein, such sanctions include suspension or revocation of this permit; the imposition of additional terms or conditions reasonably related to preventing or deterring repeated violations; the imposition of criminal penalties in the manner provided by law for violation of Town By-Laws; and, in case of violations which affect or may reasonably be anticipated to affect the continuity or quality of service, or which re-

late to the obligation of the permittee to afford equal opportunities under Section IV. C. 10. or to make its facilities available for public use, the permittee hereby submits to the jurisdiction in equity of the courts of the Commonwealth to enter such decrees as may be required in the judgment of the Court to provide immediate relief, either upon ex parte application or after notice as the granting of immediate relief may require."

B. No such permit or renewal of permit shall be issued except upon written application therefor to the Board on an application form to be prescribed by it. Such form shall set forth such facts as the Board may prescribe as to the citizenship character, and financial, technical and other qualifications of the applicant to operate the system, and complete information as to its principals and ultimate beneficial owners (including in the case of corporation, all stockholders, both nominal and beneficial, and in the case of unincorporated associations, all members and ultimate beneficial owners, however designated) and such other information as the Board may deem appropriate or necessary. Such application shall be signed by the applicant or by a duly authorized person evidence of whose authority shall be submitted with the application. Each applicant shall make full disclosure as to the true ownership of the applicant and of the equipment to be employed in rendering service and as to the source of funds for the purchase, lease, rental and installation of such equipment. Each application shall set forth the equipment to be employed, the routes of the wires and cables, the area or areas to be served, the commencement and substantial completion dates of construction of the system, the date service will be actually available to the areas named and the schedule of proposed rates. Additional areas to be served may be added to the permit from time to time by subsequent supplementary applications or after hearing by direction of the Board.

Such application shall also require that in the event a permit is issued, the applicant agrees to the following:

- 1.a. In installing, operating and maintaining equipment, cables and wires, it will avoid all unnecessary damage and injury to any and all trees, structures and improvements in and along the routes authorized.
- 1.b. Should the poles or other structures upon which the lines used in its transmission or distribution system

be removed or be ordered removed in order to place underground other wires located thereon, it will cause its lines to be placed underground.

2. It will indemnify and hold the Town harmless at all times during the term of the permit from any and all claims for injury and damage to persons or property, both real and personal caused by the installation operation and maintenance of any structure, equipment, wire or cable authorized to be installed pursuant to the permit. Upon receipt of notice in writing from the Board, it will at its own expense defend any action or proceeding against the Town in which it is claimed that personal injury or property damage was caused by activities of the permittee in the installation, operation or maintenance of its system.
- 3.a. It will carry insurance in a form and in companies satisfactory to the Board insuring the Town and itself from and against any and all claims for injury or damage to persons or property, both real and personal, caused by the construction, installation, operation or maintenance of any structure, equipment, wires or cables authorized or used pursuant to the permit; the amount of such insurance against liability for damage to property shall not be less than one hundred thousand dollars as to any one person and two hundred thousand dollars as to any one accident and against liability for injury or death to persons not less than one hundred thousand dollars as to any one person and three hundred thousand dollars as to any one accident.
- 3.b. It will provide security by a cash deposit made with the Town Treasurer or bond in a form satisfactory to the Board, for the refund to its subscribers in the Town of all deposits and prepayments for service in the event of failure of the permittee to provide its service throughout the period covered by such prepayment.
4. It will not engage directly or indirectly in furnishing, selling, leasing or repairing Federal Communications Commission standard frequency television or radio sets.

5. It will provide cable drops and its service within the areas authorized by the permit at no cost to public schools, police and fire stations, public libraries and any other public buildings at any time designated in writing by the Board.
6. Upon termination of the period of the permit or of any renewal thereof by passage of time or otherwise, it will cease its operations and will remove or cause to be removed its supporting structures, poles, transmission and distribution systems and other appurtenances from the streets, ways, lanes, alleys, parkways, bridges, highways and other public places in, over, under or along which they are installed and will restore or cause to be restored the areas to their original condition; if such removal is not completed within six months of such termination, the Board may deem any property not removed as having been abandoned; and if such removal or restoration is not so completed, the Town may cause them to be done and charge the cost thereof to the permittee.
7. Whenever it may take up or disturb any pavement, sidewalk or other improvement of any public place, the same shall be replaced and the surface restored in as good condition as before entry as soon as practicable. If the permittee fails to make such restoration within a reasonable time, the Town may fix a reasonable time for such restoration and repair to be made by written notice to the permittee and upon the failure of the permittee to comply with the schedule specified, the Town may cause proper restoration to be made and the expense of such work shall be paid by the permittee upon demand by the Town.
8. It will not remove any television antenna of any subscriber or proposed subscriber without his prior written consent. In the event a subscriber already has an antenna installed, it will at no extra charge offer to him and maintain an adequate switching device to allow the subscriber to choose between cable and non-cable reception, unless the subscriber affirmatively indicates in writing that he does not desire such device.
9. Whenever it transposes any television signal from the channel on which it was originally broadcast so

that it is received on a different channel on the receiving sets of subscribers, it will advise subscribers of the receiving channel on which the signal was originally broadcast.

10. If it permits its facilities to be used to originate and disseminate any views concerning a controversial issue or public importance, it will afford reasonable opportunity for the presentation of contrasting points of view over its facilities; provided that, any request for equal opportunities under this subsection 10 is received by the operator within one week after the day on which the prior use occurred.

11. Before commencing construction or in the event construction has been commenced or completed prior to the effective date of this By-Law, it will submit to the Board a bond with corporate surety satisfactory to the Board. The amount of said bond shall be one dollar per person of the total population of the area of the permit, as determined from the most recent state or federal census available from time to time, but in no event shall the amount of the bond exceed \$100,000 dollars. The term and condition of the bond shall be the performance of the following conditions:

- a. The satisfactory completion of installation and operation of the system in accordance with the schedule proposed in the application and in accordance with subsection 1 of this section.
- b. The indemnity of the Town in accordance with subsection 2 of this section.
- c. The satisfactory removal of its system in accordance with subsection 6 of this section.
- d. The satisfactory restoration of pavements, sidewalks and other improvements in accordance with subsection 7 of this section.

12. In the event reception of its signals by any subscriber is interrupted for 72 consecutive hours, it will grant such subscriber a pro rata credit or rebate.

13. If the permittee proposes to utilize any structure, poles, lines or other equipment in its transmission or distribution system in which any person other than the permittee shall have any interest, an agreement by such other person to be bound by the terms of the permit and the agreements of the permittee insofar

as they relate to the installation, maintenance and removal of any property utilized by the permittee in which such other person has an interest shall be entered into.

14. It will notify the Board of any proceeding to which it is a party before any regulatory agency.

V. No application under Section IV shall be granted except after a public hearing. Public notice of the filing of each application and of a hearing date within not less than thirty days of the filing of the first such application, shall be given in a newspaper published in the Town by at least two advertisements not less than a week apart placed and paid for by the applicant after advance approval of the form of such advertisements by the Board. In no case shall any application be acted upon by the Board within thirty days of the first of such advertisements. In the event more than one application is filed, the Board shall choose that applicant or those applicants which in its opinion will best serve the public interest. The Board shall issue a public statement in writing containing the reasons for its decision. Any hearing required by this section may be consolidated with any hearing held pursuant to General Laws, Chapter 166, Section 22, relative to poles and wires to be utilized by the applicant.

B. The rights of any holder of a valid permit issued pursuant to General Laws, Chapter 166, Section 22, in the Town prior to the adoption of this By-Law shall not be impaired by the adoption of this By-Law; provided, that such holder, within a period of time set by the Board, agrees to be bound by the terms of this By-Law in the same manner as an applicant hereunder. If a permit issued under General Laws, Chapter 166, Section 22, does not specify the area of Town within which the rights conferred shall be exercised, the Board shall upon receipt of the agreement of the said permittee specify such area.

VI. Each permittee shall install its CATV system and maintain the quality of the signals transmitted over its system to its subscribers in accordance with standards to be prescribed by any regulatory agency. Each such permittee shall also file annually with the Board on forms to be prescribed by the Board a statement of its revenues and expenses and its ownership. Such completed forms shall be kept in a file open to the public.

VII. No application for a permit to operate a CATV system or for renewal or assignment of such a permit shall be

considered by the Board unless it is accompanied by an application deposit of \$500. The Town shall retain from such deposit only the reasonable cost to the Town of processing such application, including any investigation of the applicant and evaluation of the application, whether by employees of the Town or by persons retained by the Town for that purpose. The balance of the deposit, if any, shall be refunded to the applicant if unsuccessful or applied to the permit fee charged to the applicant if successful. Initial and annual permit fees shall be established annually by the Board in an amount equal to the reasonable expenses incident to the enforcement of this By-Law. Any applicant or holder of a permit shall be permitted to participate in any proceedings held to establish the amount of the costs or fees to be charged to such applicant or holder hereunder.

VIII. If at any time after the adoption of this By-Law there shall be granted to the Town additional powers with respect to CATV systems, this By-Law shall be construed to authorize the exercise of such additional powers by the Board to the extent permitted by the action granting such powers.

IX. A. Complaints by any person as to the operation of any CATV system may be filed in writing with the Board which shall within ten days forward copies of such complaints to the permittee.

Any permit issued hereunder may after hearing be revoked by the Board on any of the following grounds:

1. For false or misleading statements in, or material omissions from, any application or any annual return submitted under this By-Law.
2. For failure to file and maintain a bond under section IV. C. 3. b. or to maintain insurance under section IV. C. 3. a.
3. For two or more violations of a different nature within twelve months, as determined by the Board, of commitments of a permittee under section IV. C. 10.
4. For repeated failure, as determined by the Board, to maintain signal quality under the standards provided for in section VI.
5. For any assignment without consent in violation of section X. A.
6. For violation of other obligations of the permittee under section IV, or of the terms of its permit.

B. The Board may, in connection with the determination of any question of fact required to be made in administering this By-Law, retain the services of any person or firm of professional consultants or engineers having no financial interest in the outcome of such determination to investigate and report to it. Such report may be considered by the Board in making its determination of fact, provided that a copy of the report shall have been furnished to any permittee whose interests might be adversely affected by a decision of the Board in the matter.

At any hearing under this By-Law, reasonable opportunity shall be given to all parties to the matter under hearing to inquire into such investigation and report.

. Upon request of the Board, a permittee shall make or provide, or allow and bear the expense of making or providing, any tests, investigations or reports necessary to establish, to the satisfaction of the Board, compliance with all terms and conditions of this By-Law.

X. Any permit issued hereunder may be renewed by the Board for additional periods, each not to exceed ten years. No initial or renewed permit may be assigned without the prior written consent of the Board. Such consent shall be given only upon a written application therefor on forms to be prescribed by the Board. Such forms shall set forth such facts as the Board may prescribe as to the citizenship, character, and financial, technical, and other qualifications of the proposed assignee to operate the system, and complete information as to its principals and ultimate beneficial owners (including in the case of corporations, all stockholders both nominal and beneficial and in the case of unincorporated associations, all members and ultimate beneficial owners however designated) it being the intention hereof that each assignee shall make full disclosure as to its true ownership and as to the source of the funds to be used for the purchase and operation of the system.

The application for consent shall contain such other information concerning the consideration to be paid and other matters as the Board may deem appropriate or necessary and shall be signed by the applicant and by the proposed assignee or by persons duly authorized, evidence of whose authority shall be submitted with the application. In no case shall the consent of the Board to an assignment be given when it appears from the application or from subsequent in-

vestigation or otherwise that the consideration being paid in the proposed transaction includes a substantial payment solely for the permit issued hereunder.

B. The Board may upon application by a permittee whose beneficial shares of ownership are the subject of an effective Registration Statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the United States Government, or are listed for trading on a national stock exchange, exempt transactions in such shares from the requirements of this section entirely or to such lesser extent as the Board may deem consistent with the purposes of this By-Law.

XI. This By-Law shall to the fullest extent legally possible apply to all CATV systems authorized or constructed prior to the effective date hereof. In any case in which prior to such effective date arrangements have been entered into between the Town and an operator by means of contract or otherwise which are inconsistent with the provisions of this By-Law, the Board shall take steps promptly and in any event within ninety days to insure compliance with such provisions.

XII. The Board may issue such regulations as it deems appropriate to carry out the purposes of this By-Law. The Board shall have authority to enter into agreements with similarly authorized agencies of other municipalities in order to carry out the purposes of this By-Law with respect to permittees who hold or may hold a permit from the Town, and such other municipality. The Board may from time to time investigate whether the provisions of this By-Law and the agreements required hereunder are being complied with and any cases of noncompliance shall be made the subject of a hearing under Section IX.

XIII. Nothing in this By-Law shall be construed to bar operation of a CATV system by the Town if otherwise authorized by law so to do, but such operation shall be subject to this By-Law as if the system were privately owned and operated.

XIV. All permits granted shall be subject to the following conditions whether or not set forth in the document or vote granting them:

- A. No privilege or exemption shall be granted or conferred by any permit granted under this By-Law except those authorized herein.

- B. Any privilege claimed under any such permit by the permittee in any public way or other public property shall be subordinate to any prior lawful occupancy of the public ways or other public property.
- C. Any such permit shall be a privilege to be held in personal trust by the original permittee. It cannot in any event be sold, transferred, leased, assigned or disposed of, in whole or in part, either by force or involuntary sale, or by voluntary sale, merger, consolidation or otherwise, without the prior consent of the Board and then only under such conditions as may therein be prescribed. Any such transfer or assignment shall be made only by an instrument in writing, a duly executed copy of which shall be filed in the office of the Board within thirty days after any such transfer or assignment.
- D. Time shall be of the essence of any permit granted hereunder. The permittee shall not be relieved of his obligation to comply promptly with any of the provisions of this By-Law by any failure of the Town to enforce prompt compliance.
- E. The permittee shall have no recourse whatsoever against the Town for any loss, cost, expense, or damage arising out of any provision or requirement of this By-Law or of any permit issued hereunder or because of its enforcement.
- F. The permittee shall be subject to all requirements of pertinent Federal and Commonwealth of Massachusetts laws, rules and regulations, as well as Town By-Laws, rules, regulations and specifications heretofore or hereafter enacted or adopted.
- G. Any permit shall not relieve the permittee of any obligation involved in obtaining permits to place or utilize poles or wires in the public ways.
- H. The Town shall have the right to purchase the CATV system of any permittee if the Town shall be authorized by law to operate a CATV system.
- I. Nothing contained in this By-Law shall be construed to contract away or to modify or abridge, either for a term or in perpetuity, any right of eminent domain which the Town may otherwise have under law.
- J. There is hereby reserved to the Town every right and power which is required by law to be herein reserved or provided, and any permittee by its acceptance of

any permit, agrees to be bound thereby and to comply with any action or requirement of the Town in its exercise of such rights or power.

- K. Neither the granting of any permit hereunder nor any of the provisions contained herein shall be construed to prevent the Town from granting any identical or simliar permit, to any other person, firm or corporation, within all or any area of the Town.
- L. There is hereby reserved to the Town the power to amend any section or part of this By-Law so as to require additional bonding or insurance, or greater standards of construction, operation, maintenance or otherwise, on the part of the permittee at any time.
- M. Neither the granting of any permit nor any provision hereof shall constitute a waiver or bar to the exercise of any governmental right or power of the Town.
- N. The Board may do all things which are necessary and convenient in the exercise of its jurisdiction under this By-Law and may determine any question of fact which may arise during the existence of any permit granted hereunder.
- O. At all reasonable times, the permittee shall permit any duly authorized representative of the Town to examine all property of the permittee, together with any appurtenant property of the permittee situated within or without the Town, and to examine and transcribe any and all maps and other records kept or maintained by the permittee or under its control which deal with the operations, affairs, transactions or property of the permittee with respect to its permit. If any such maps or records are not kept in the Town, or upon reasonable request made available in the Town, and if the Board shall determine that an examination thereof is necessary or appropriate, then all travel and maintenance expenses necessarily incurred in making such examination shall be paid by the permittee.
- P. The permittee shall prepare and furnish to the Board at the times and in the form prescribed by the Board, such reports with respect to its operations, affairs, transactions, property, or financial status, as may be reasonably necessary or appropriate to the performance of any of the rights, functions or duties of the Town or any of its officers in connection with the permit.

- Q. The permittee shall at all times make and keep in the Town full and complete plans and records showing the exact location of all CATV system equipment installed or in use in public ways and other public places in the Town.
- R. The permittee shall maintain an office within the Town limits which subscribers may call at any time, and CATV maintenance service shall be promptly available to subscribers within twenty-four hours.
- S. No person, firm or corporation in the existing service area of the permittee shall be arbitrarily refused service; provided, however, that the permittee shall not be required to provide service to any subscriber who does not pay the applicable fees and charges.
- T. Before providing service to any subscriber, the permittee shall obtain a signed contract from the subscriber containing a provision substantially as follows:

"Subscriber understands that in providing antenna service the permittee is making use of public ways within the Town of Easton and that the continued use of such ways is in no way guaranteed. In the event the continued use of such ways is denied to permittee for any reason, permittee will make every reasonable effort to provide service over alternate routes. Subscriber agrees he will make no claim nor undertake any action against the Town of Easton, its officers, or its employees if the service to be provided hereunder is interrupted or discontinued.

- U. In the case of any emergency or disaster, the permittee shall upon request of the Board, make available its physical facilities to the Town for emergency use during the emergency or disaster period.

XV. If any provision of this By-Law or of the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder thereof and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby. Should any of the matters regulated by this By-Law be subsequently the subject of valid regulations issued by any agency of the Commonwealth specifically authorized to regulate CATV systems, such valid regulations shall supersede the

provisions of this By-Law dealing with matter specifically regulated by such agency. Matters not so specifically regulated shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, continue to be subject to regulation hereunder.

XVI. Any discretion conferred by this By-Law upon the Board shall be exercised reasonably by the Board and in such a manner as will, in the judgment of the Board, achieve the purposes of this By-Law or to take any action relative thereto.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting. No appropriation is requested.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of its Charter Commission as provided in section 8 (b) of Chapter 43B of the General Laws, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends \$4800. This is considered a minimum amount for the preparation of a Town Charter in proper legal format to meet approval of the State Attorney General's office.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to have the Selectmen serve without salary compensation, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends adoption. It is felt that the Board of Selectmen's office be established on a no salary basis in accordance with report of Town Government Study Committee to 1970 Town Meetings.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to support proposed revenue-sharing programs which will be before the 92nd United States Congress (1971) for the purpose of acquiring additional, needed revenue to assist in alleviating demands currently imposed on local property taxes, and to inform the entire Massachusetts congressional delegation of this positive action by town meeting members, or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends adoption. No appropriation requested.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Planning and Zoning Board concerning a proposed amendment of the Zoning By-Law of the Town by the addition thereto of a new section entitled "Section 8A - ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE STANDARDS", as more

fully described in the following Article 57, a copy of said report being on file with the Town Clerk's Office, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee does not recommend. Sufficient information has not been available concerning the total aspects of this By-law change in order to make a favorable recommendation. Although some aspects of this proposal change would certainly be appropriate, other aspects such as methods and costs of enforcement and effect on existing conditions are unknown at this time.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town by adding thereto a new section entitled "Section 8A - ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE STANDARDS, containing the following provisions:

Section 8A

ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Any use permitted by right or Special Permit in any Zone shall not be conducted in a manner as to emit any dangerous, noxious, injurious, or otherwise objectionable fire, explosion, radio-active or other hazard, noise or vibration, smoke, dust, odor or other form of environmental pollution, electrical or other disturbance; glare, liquid or solid, refuse or wastes; conditions conducive to the breeding or insects, bacteria, rodents, or other substance, conditions or element in an amount as to affect adversely the surrounding environment. The following standards shall apply:

1. Emissions shall be completely and effectively confined within the building, or so regulated as to prevent any nuisance, hazard, or other disturbance from being perceptible (without the use of instruments) at any lot line of the premises on which the use is located.

2. All activities and all storage of flammable and explosive materials at any point, shall be provided with adequate safety devices against fire and explosion and adequate fire-fighting and fire-suppression devices and equipment.

3. No activities that emit dangerous radioactivity, at any point; no electrical disturbance adversely affecting the operation at any point, of any equipment, other than that of the creator of such disturbance, shall be permitted.

4. No emission of visible smoke of a shade darker than No. 1 on the Ringlemann Smoke Chart as published by the U. S. Bureau of Mines shall be permitted except:

- a. For a period or periods of aggregating four minutes in any 30 minutes when No. 2, but not darker, is allowed.
- b. For a period or periods aggregating three minutes in any 15 minutes on No. 3, but not darker, when cleaning, when building a new fire or when breakdown of equipment occurs.

5. No emission which can cause any damage to health or animals or vegetation or which can cause excessive soiling, at any point, and in no event any emission of any solid or liquid particles in concentrations exceeding 0.3 grains per cubic foot of conveying gas or air shall be permitted.

6. No discharge, at any point, into a private sewage system, stream, the ground, or a municipal sewage disposal system of any material in such a way, or of such a nature or temperature as can contaminate any running stream, water supply or otherwise cause the emission of dangerous or objectionable elements and accumulation of wastes conducive to the breeding of rodents or insects or harmful bacteria shall be permitted.

7. No vibration which is discernible to the human sense of feeling for three minutes or more in any hour between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., or for 30 seconds or more in any one hour between 7 p.m. and 7 a.m. shall be permitted. No vibration at any time shall produce an acceleration of more than 0.1 gram or shall result in any combination of amplitudes and frequencies beyond the "safe" range of Table 7, U. S. Bureau of Mines Bulletin No. 442.

8. Maximum permissible sound pressure levels at specified points of measurement for noise radiated continuously from a facility between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m. shall be as follows:

Frequency band (Cycles per second)	Sound pressure level (Decibel ra. 0.0002 dyne/CM)
20-75	69
75-100	54
150-300	47
300-600	41

600-1,200	37
1,200-2,400	34
2,400-4,800	31
4,800-10,000	28

If this sound is not smooth and continuous, the following corrections should be added to each of the actual decibel levels given:

- a. Daytime operation only +5
- b. Noise source operates less than 20 percent of any hour period +5

9. No emission or odorous gases or odoriferous matter in such quantities as to be offensive shall be permitted. Any process which may involve the creation and/or emission of any odors shall be provided with a secondary safeguard system. No objectionable odor greater than that caused by 0.001202 per thousand cubic feet of hydrogen sulfide or any "odor threshold" as defined Table III in Chapter 5 of **Air Pollution Abatement Manual**, copyright 1951, by Manufacturing Chemists Association, Inc., of Washington, D.C., shall be permitted.

10. No direct or sky-reflected glare, whether from floodlights or from high temperature processes such as welding shall be permitted. By petition.

Finance Committee does not recommend in accordance with Article 56.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to accept Shady Rest Road from Summer Street to Baltic Avenue, as shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Easton, Bristol County, Mass." dated March 7, 1966, on file at the Town Clerk's Office, and approved by the Planning Board, the fee to said Shady Rest Road to be given to the Town by the owners thereof by deed of gift or to take any other action in relation thereto.

By petition.

Finance Committee does not recommend, based on C. A. Pickering engineering report indicating drainage is not satisfactory.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen, pursuant to the provisions of section 4A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, to appoint Charles Willis to the Conservation Commission, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Committee refers this Article to the Town Meeting.

Article 60. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

And you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Easton, qualified to vote in election, residing in Precinct one, to meet at the Harmony Grange Hall; those residing in Precinct two to meet at the Easton Junior High School Auditorium; those residing in Precinct three to meet at the South Easton School House, on Monday the 22nd day of March next at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to bring in their votes all on one ballot for one member of the Board of Assessors, for a term of three years; two Selectmen for a term of three years; one Selectman for a term of two years; Moderator for a term of one year; two members of the School Committee for a term of three years; one member of the Board of Health for a term of three years; one member of the Board of Health for a term of two years; Tree Warden for a term of one year; one member of the Board of Water Commissioners for a term of three years; five members of the Finance Committee for a term of three years; two members of the Finance Committee for a term of two years; two members of the Finance Committee for a term of one year; one member of the Housing Authority for a term of three years; one member of the Housing Authority for a term of one year, nine members of the Charter Commission, and to vote on the following questions:

QUESTION: Shall the Town vote to accept the provisions of section 19B of Chapter 41 of the General Laws and thereby provide permanent tenure for Esther C. Anderson, the present incumbent in the Office of Town Clerk?

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of section 19B of Chapter 41 of the General Laws is as follows: The said section provides that every Town Clerk under age seventy duly elected or appointed, except a Temporary Clerk, who has served continuously for not less than five years, shall not withstanding any contrary provision of General or Special Laws, hold office during good behavior until he has attained age seventy, in any Town which has accepted said section by a majority vote in the affirmative in answer to the above question placed on the Official Ballot at a regular Town election. (Such a Town

Clerk would be subject to retirement under the provisions of law relative to Retirement Systems, and must have been re-elected at the Town election at which the Question was voted on.)

QUESTION: Shall the Town vote to have its Board of Selectmen act as the Board of Health?

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of Section 21 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws which provides for the above question is as follows:

A majority vote in the affirmative in answer to said question would authorize the Board of Selectmen to act as a Board of Health and perform the duties of such a Board, and upon the election and qualification of the members of the Board of Selectmen, the term of office of the existing Board of Health would thereupon terminate, and all the duties, powers and obligations of said Board would be transferred to and imposed upon the Board of Selectmen.

QUESTION: Shall the Town vote to have its Selectmen appoint Cemetery Commissioners?

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of the portion of Section 21 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws which provides for the above question is as follows:

A majority vote in the affirmative in answer to said question would authorize the Board of Selectmen to thereafter appoint Cemetery Commissioners and upon the appointment and qualification by oath of such Commissioners their term of office would thereupon commence.

QUESTION: Shall the Fluoridation of the public water supply for domestic use in Easton be continued?

(To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of the portion of Section 8C of Chapter 111 of the General Laws which provides for the above question, is as follows:

In any Town where the Board of Health has ordered the upward adjustment of the fluoride content of the water supply under the provisions of this section upon petition of ten per cent of the registered voters of said Town filed in the Office of the Town Clerk within 90 days of the publication of an order of the Board of Health adjusting upward the fluoride content of the water supply for domestic use, the above question must be put on the official ballot at the next annual

Town Meeting. If a majority of votes in answer to said question is in the negative the fluoridation of the water supply of such Town shall be discontinued.

QUESTION: Shall a commission be elected to frame a charter for Easton? (To be voted YES or NO)

A fair and concise summary of Article II, Section 3 of the Articles of Amendment of the Constitution of Massachusetts, which provides for the above question is as follows:

Every Town shall have the power to adopt or revise a charter, and a petition for such revision or adoption of a charter must be signed by at least fifteen per cent of the number of legal voters residing in the Town, then the Board of Selectmen shall by order provide for submitting to the voters the question of adopting or revising a charter, and for the nomination and election of a charter commission. If a Town has not previously adopted a charter pursuant to this section the Question shall appear on the official ballot as set forth above. The charter commission shall consist of nine voters of the Town, and the vote on the question submitted and the election of the charter commission shall take place at the same time. If the vote on the question is in the affirmative, the nine candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.

The polls will be open at 10:00 a.m. and shall be closed at 8:00 p.m.

You are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at each meeting house and post-office in said Town, and one at the Oliver Ames High School Gymnasium, and one at the Town Offices, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting, and said Town Clerk is hereby required to make return of this Warrant to the Warden or Deputy Warden at the time and place of holding said meeting for the election of officers, and said Warden is hereby required to make return of this Warrant to the Town Clerk, together with his return of officers elected at the close of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 1st day of February in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-one.

ARTHUR H. TUFTS

JAMES D. MULLEN, JR.

CHARLES C. WILLIS

Board of Selectmen

TOWN OF EASTON BUDGET FOR TOWN MEETING—1971

Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
100 GENERAL GOVERNMENT (2.3 % of Total)						
101	Selectmen					
101-10	Salaries—Selectmen	\$3,600	\$3,600	\$5,400	\$900	1
101-11	Salary—Administrative Assistant	.....	2,148	17,000	16,000	2
101-12	Salary—Clerk	4,300	5,416	5,600	5,600	
101-13	Salary—Extra Clerical & O.T.	.....	240	740	740	
101-20	Expenses—Selectmen	1,000	1,100	1,800	1,800	
101-21	Expenses—Administrative Assistant	.....	535	750	500	
101-30	Expenses—Operating	909	1,158	1,522	1,422	
101-40	Engineering Services	.....	5,872	13,000	8,000	3
101-50	Equipment & Outlays	.....	.....	1,765	1,050	
TOTAL		\$9,809	\$20,069	\$47,577	\$36,012	
102	Assessors					
102-10	Salaries—Assessors	\$2,350	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$2,400	
102-11	Salary—Executive Secretary	6,150	6,704	7,204	7,100	
102-12	Salary—Clerk	4,350	4,742	5,242	5,025	
102-30	Expense—Operating	1,839	2,148	2,635	2,635	
102-40	Expense—Data Processing	.....	.....	2,500	2,500	
102-50	Equipment & Outlays	.....	.....	600	.....	4
TOTAL		\$14,689	\$15,994	\$20,581	\$19,660	

Town Meeting Budget—Continued

Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
103	Town Clerk					
103-10	Salary—Town Clerk	\$1,600	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	
103-11	Salary—Clerk	1,036	2,000	2,400	2,300	
103-12	Salary—Extra Clerical	500	300	590	590	
103-30	Expenses—Operating	1,088	1,333	1,560	1,335	
	TOTAL	\$4,224	\$5,633	\$6,550	\$6,225	
104	Town Treasurer					
104-10	Salary—Treasurer	\$3,300	\$3,800	\$3,800	\$3,800	
104-11	Salary—Clerk	1,530	3,600	4,600	4,400	
104-12	Salary—Extra Clerical	2,450	1,300	1,800	1,800	
104-30	Expenses—Operating	1,937	2,822	2,975	2,825	
	TOTAL	\$9,217	\$11,522	\$13,175	\$12,825	
105	Tax Collector					
105-10	Salary—Tax Collector	\$3,100	\$3,100	\$3,100	\$3,100	
105-11	Salary—Clerk	4,200	4,150	4,750	4,550	
105-12	Salary—Extra Clerical	800	1,400	1,900	1,900	
105-30	Expense—Operating	1,806	2,497	2,600	2,600	
	TOTAL	\$9,906	\$11,147	\$12,350	\$12,150	

106	Town Counsel				
106-10	Salary—Town Counsel	\$2,750	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$3,500
106-20	Expense—Town Counsel	300	300	300	300
106-60	Legal Reserve	183	721	1,000	1,000
	TOTAL	\$3,233	\$4,021	\$5,300	\$4,800
107	Town Accountant				
107-10	Salary—Town Accountant	\$7,000	\$7,650	\$10,500	\$9,650
107-11	Salary—Clerical	90	100	300	300
107-30	Expense—Operating	523	544	500	500
	TOTAL	\$7,613	\$8,294	\$11,300	\$10,450
108	Finance Committee				
108-20	Expense—Finance Committee	\$100	\$84	\$100	\$100
109	Registrars of Voters				
109-10	Salaries—Registrars (3)	\$750	\$691	\$900	\$750
109-11	Salary—Clerk	300	300	350	350
109-30	Expenses—Operating	2,404	2,882	5,750	4,500
	TOTAL	\$3,454	\$3,873	\$7,000	\$5,600
110	Elections				
110-10	Salaries			\$4,100	\$3,800
110-30	Expenses—Operating			600	600
	TOTAL	\$1,746	\$5,329	\$4,700	\$4,400
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Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
111	Moderator					
111-10	Salary		\$25	\$25	\$25	
112	Town Office					
112-10	Salary—Custodian	\$5,700	\$6,215	\$7,020	\$6,825	
112-30	Expense—Operating	3,590	3,964	5,050	3,950	
112-40	Expense—Building & Grounds	1,878	2,866	3,800	500	6
	TOTAL	\$11,168	\$13,045	\$15,870	\$11,275	
113	Industrial Development Comm.	0	0	0	0	7
	TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT	\$75,184	\$99,036	\$144,528	\$123,522	
200 PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY (9.6% of Total)						
201	Fire Department					
201-10	Salary—Chief	\$8,500	\$10,500	\$12,000	\$12,000	
201-11	Salary—Deputy Chief	8,200	10,000	11,600	11,600	
201-12	Salary—Captain	7,300	9,000	10,600	10,600	
201-13	Salaries—Privates	34,000	75,409	128,625	128,625	
201-14	Salaries—Call Men	14,423	11,626	17,480	15,480	8
201-15	Salaries—Vacations & O.T.	3,476	8,098	10,100	8,600	
201-16	Salaries—All Other	1,066	1,530	4,050	4,050	
201-20	Expenses—Operating	9,947	8,995	8,458	8,458	
201-40	Building Repairs	1,051	573	1,400	1,400	

201-50	Equipment Repairs	2,778	2,502	1,919	1,900
201-60	Fire Alarm System	3,541	3,151	3,745	3,745
	TOTAL	\$94,282	\$141,384	\$209,977	\$206,458
202	Police Department				
202-10	Salary—Chief	\$9,700	\$12,500	\$13,500	\$13,250
202-11	Salaries—Sargents (3)	24,750	30,600	34,350	33,600
202-12	Salaries—Patrolmen (13)	62,596	109,198	131,073	124,073
202-13	Salaries—Vacations & O.T.	17,756	12,010	18,242	18,242
202-14	Salaries—Court Appearances	4,213	5,102	7,000	6,000
202-15	Salaries—All Other	3,131	2,213	11,556	10,671
202-20	Expenses—Operating	6,618	8,664	13,702	12,752
202-40	Uniform Allowance	2,136	5,179	4,900	4,500
202-50	Equipment & Outlays	.....	6,106	1,200	1,200
202-60	Out-of-State Travel	150	300	750	500
	TOTAL	\$131,050	\$191,872	\$236,273	\$224,738
203	Fire & Police Station				
203-20	Expense—Operating & Maintenance	\$3,615	\$4,641	\$5,000	\$5,000
204	Tree Department				
204-10	Salary—Superintendent	\$4,790	\$5,319	\$6,340	\$6,340
204-11	Salaries—Other	12,221	13,026	18,078	15,628
204-30	Expenses—Operating	2,612	2,994	3,110	3,110
204-40	New Trees	292	399	600	600
	TOTAL	\$19,915	\$21,738	\$28,128	\$25,678

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Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
205	Moth Department					
205-10	Salary—Superintendent	\$554	\$682	\$792	\$792	
205-11	Salaries—Other	1,497	1,697	2,560	1,904	11
205-30	Expenses—Operating	1,459	1,511	1,595	1,595	
	TOTAL	\$3,510	\$3,890	\$4,947	\$4,291	
206	Building Inspector					
206-10	Salary—Building Inspector	\$1,500	\$1,650	\$2,000	\$1,750	
206-11	Salary—Assistant Bldg. Insp.	705	1,038	1,800	1,400	
206-12	Salary—Clerical	0	0	3,075	0	12
206-30	Expenses—Operating	924	1,238	1,250	1,100	
206-50	Equipment & Outlays	.....	.....	100	100	
	TOTAL	\$3,129	\$3,976	\$8,225	\$4,350	
207	Gas Inspector					
207-10	Salary	\$700	\$700	\$800	\$900	
207-20	Expense—General	300	400	1,900	400	
	TOTAL	\$1,000	\$1,100	\$2,700	\$1,300	

208	Wiring Inspector				
208-10	Salary	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	
208-20	Expense—General	300	300	300	
	TOTAL	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300	
209	Scaler of Weights & Measures				
209-10	Salaries	\$400	\$600	\$600	
209-20	Expense—General	200	300	300	
	TOTAL	\$600	\$900	\$900	
210	Dog Officer				
210-10	Salary	\$450	\$450	\$450	
210-20	Expense—General	396	400	400	
210-40	Care of Dogs	452	1,084	1,000	
	TOTAL	\$1,298	\$1,534	\$1,850	
211	Civil Defense				
211-10	Salaries	\$450	\$450	\$450	
211-20	Expense—General	2,392	2,550	2,550	
211-50	Equipment & Outlays		700	0	
211-60	Transfer Excess Government Property		0	0	13
	TOTAL	\$3,342	\$3,674	\$3,700	\$3,000
212	Planning Board				
212-10	Salary—Clerk	\$720	\$700	\$1,000	\$850

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Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
212-20	Expense—General	740	706	1,510	1,210	
212-60	Out-of-State Travel	0	0	100	0	
	TOTAL	\$1,460	\$1,406	\$2,610	\$2,060	
213	Board of Appeals					
213-30	Expense—General	\$721	\$934	\$1,300	\$1,060	
214	Recreation Commission					
214-10	Salary—Director	\$1,350	\$1,350	\$1,400	\$1,350	
214-11	Salaries—Pool Program	8,741	9,173	6,660	6,660	
214-12	Salaries—Playground Program			3,780	3,126	
214-20	Expense—Pool Program	4,294	5,920	3,779	3,779	
214-30	Expense—Playground Program			650	650	
214-40	Expense—Other			2,332	2,332	
214-50	Equipment & Outlays			765	765	
	TOTAL	\$14,385	\$16,443	\$19,366	\$18,662	14
215	Conservation Commission					
215-20	Expense—General	\$1,918	\$774	\$1,000	\$1,000	
215-40	Revolving Fund			0	0	15
	TOTAL	\$1,918	\$774	\$1,000	\$1,000	

216	Historical Commission				
216-20	Expense—General	\$90	\$526	\$526	
	TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY	\$395,320	\$527,802	\$502,223	
300 HEALTH & SANITATION (1.0% of Total)					
301	Board of Health				
301-10	Salaries—Board Members	\$900	\$900	\$900	
301-11	Salary—Milk Inspector	300	300	300	
301-12	Salary—Plumbing Inspector	400	600	1,200	
301-15	Salaries—Hire of Nurses	8,000	8,000	10,000	
301-20	Expense—Milk Inspector	222	274	200	
301-21	Expense—Plumbing Inspector	2,007	2,572	350	
301-30	Expense—Operating	2,573	4,990	10,110	
301-40	Collection of Garbage	24,266	24,266	28,266	
	TOTAL	\$38,668	\$41,877	\$50,976	
302	Animal Inspector				
302-10	Salary	\$350	\$350	\$350	
302-20	Expense—General	35		300	
	TOTAL	\$385	\$350	\$650	
	TOTAL HEALTH & SANITATION	\$39,053	\$42,227	\$51,626	

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Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
400 HIGHWAYS & CEMETERIES (4.5% of Total)						
401	Highway Department					
401-10	Salary—Superintendent	\$9,044	\$10,726	\$11,856	\$11,856	
401-11	Salaries—Other	98,411	109,051	167,112	134,834	16
401-12	Salaries—Regular Overtime	2,426	2,134	4,940	4,940	
401-13	Salaries—Snow Overtime	14,819	9,066	10,560	10,560	
401-30	Expense—Operating	10,352	9,909	55,925	8,300	
401-60	Expense—Snow & Ice Removal	55,249	30,310	20,000	20,000	
401-61	Expense—Plowing of Cemeteries	100	100	100	100	
401-80	Expense—Sanitary Landfill	.....	.....	22,140	22,140	17
	TOTAL	<u>\$190,401</u>	<u>\$171,296</u>	<u>\$292,633</u>	<u>\$212,730</u>	18
402	Street Lighting	\$21,410	\$22,423	\$24,500	\$24,500	
	TOTAL HIGHWAYS & CEMETERIES & STREET LIGHTING	<u>\$211,811</u>	<u>\$193,719</u>	<u>\$317,133</u>	<u>\$237,230</u>	
500 SCHOOLS (55.8% of Total)						
501	Easton School Department					
501-10	Salaries and Wages	\$1,748,211	\$1,987,897	\$2,335,566	\$2,253,408	
501-30	Expenses—Operating	441,523	526,979	595,280	553,697	
	TOTAL	<u>\$2,189,734</u>	<u>\$2,514,876</u>	<u>\$2,930,846</u>	<u>\$2,807,105</u>	19

502 Southeastern Regional Vocational \$89,494 \$116,303 \$113,602 \$113,602

TOTAL SCHOOLS \$2,279,228 \$2,631,179 \$3,044,448 \$2,920,707

600 WATER DEPARTMENT (1.9% of Total)

601 Water Department

601-10	Salaries—Commissioners (3)	\$900	\$900	\$900
601-11	Salary—Superintendent	8,885	9,685	11,856
601-12	Salary—Assistant Superintendent			9,973
601-13	Salary—Clerk	5,280	5,116	5,000
601-14	Salary—Extra Clerical	1,417	978	1,000
601-15	Salaries—Other	19,687	21,556	14,976
601-16	Salaries—Overtime		385	500
601-30	Expense—Operating	35,444	34,841	42,700
601-40	Hired Equipment	4,685	5,082	6,500
601-60	Testing Wells			10,000

TOTAL WATER DEPARTMENT \$76,298 \$78,543 \$103,405 \$101,132

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700 VETERAN'S SERVICES (0.7% of Total)

701 Veteran's Services

701-10	Salary—Veteran's Agent	\$1,800	\$1,965	\$2,400
701-20	Expense—Veteran's Agent	576	745	750
701-40	Veteran's Benefits	20,100	32,669	36,000

TOTAL VETERAN'S SERVICES \$22,476 \$35,379 \$39,150 \$38,950

Town Meeting Budget—Continued

Item No.	Department	Expended 1969	Expended 1970	Requested 1971	Recommended 1971	Notes
800 MATURING DEBT & INTEREST (21.3% of Total)						
801	Maturing Debt & Interest					
801-10	Interest on Temporary Loans	\$20,296	\$33,609	\$30,000	\$30,000	
801-20	Maturing Debt & Interest	371,872	353,740	1,085,549	1,085,549	21
	TOTAL MATURING DEBT & INT.	\$392,168	\$387,349	\$1,115,549	\$1,115,549	
900 UNCLASSIFIED (2.9% of Total)						
901	Unclassified					
901-1	Reserve Fund	\$24,998	\$29,907	\$25,000	\$25,000	22
901-2	Employee Group Insurance	30,543	37,841	73,500	73,500	23
901-3	Incidentals	108	60	200	200	
901-4	Insurance Account	31,004	41,736	50,000	50,000	24
901-5	Stabilization Fund	40,000	20,000			25
901-6	Town Reports					
	Printing	3,167	3,653	4,000	4,000	
	Distribution	200	250	250	250	
	TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED	\$130,020	\$133,447	\$152,950	\$152,950	
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$3,507,763	\$3,996,199			
	TOTAL REQUESTED			\$5,497,091		
	TOTAL RECOMMENDED				\$5,243,889	

BUDGET NOTES**(Reference To Town Budget On Preceding Pages)**

1. The position of Selectman is recommended as being non-salaried in accordance with recommendations of the Town Government Study Committee and 1970 Town Meeting which established a five-man Board. \$900 is the present salary schedule for three men thru 3/31/71.
2. With this office only filled since November, 1970, it was felt too premature to consider any higher salary classification, pending more opportunity to evaluate job responsibilities and requirements.
3. Recommended amount is based on expenditures for Consulting Engineering services under this category in 1970. Most advantageous use has been made of this service in the past with most judicious use encouraged in the future.
4. The Board of Assessors has agreed that this item (wide-carriage typewriter) would not be required if approval was given for mechanization of tax bill preparation.
5. Breakdown between salaries and expense for 1969, 1970 not readily available.
6. The Selectmen have agreed to delete \$3300 from this item and have it included with their request under Article 22 (renovation of Town Office Building).
7. Revolving Fund Balance \$699.53 as of 1/1/71.
8. Based on call list of 30 men, rather than 34 as requested.
9. An additional Sargent, as requested, is not recommended.
10. An additional Patrolman, as requested, is not recommended.
11. Additional man not recommended.
12. Consistent with our policy of minimizing employee additions, we are not recommending this clerical addition. We would prevail upon the Building Inspector and others to continue the present clerical arrangement for another year.
13. Revolving Fund Balance as of 1/1/71 — \$4.82.
14. Further breakdown of 1969 and 1970 expenditure not readily available.

15. Revolving Fund Balance is \$8,147.17 as of 1/1/71.
16. Request to establish an Assistant Superintendent is not recommended.
17. Pending the operation of Sanitary Land Fill Site on Prospect Street, \$21,060 of this amount is required to purchase fill for the present land fill site on Bay Road.
18. Total amount recommended by Finance Committee for Highway Budget has been reduced for purposes of appropriations by \$70,000 with available Ames Highway Fund (\$25,000 for salary budget and \$45,000 for Operating Expense Budget).
19. Total requirement for School operation is reduced by Ames and Public Funds totally \$123,741 (\$82,158 applied to Salaries and Wages and \$41,583 applied to Operating Expenses).
20. This total Budget amount is transferred from available Water Department Funds and is not reflected in the tax levy appropriation.
21. Total interest and debt payment includes the sum of \$547,549 for the new High School initial bond issue. The sum of \$107,720 of the total amount is to be transferred from the Water Department Bonded Indebtedness Account (Article 26) and is not reflected in the tax levy appropriation.
22. The sum of \$25,000 is to be transferred from the Overlay Reserve Account and is not included in tax levy appropriation.
23. This account provides Blue Cross-Blue Shield payments, plus \$2000 Life Insurance for each Town Employee. Based on acceptance of Section 7A, Chapter 32B of the General Laws by the Town at the March, 1970 Election, approving payment in excess of 50%, the Board of Selectmen have voted to pay 75% of Town Employee Blue Cross-Blue Shield payments.
24. Stabilization Fund balance \$124,766.72 as of 1/1/71.
25. The actual amount for Town Report printing not available. The sum of \$4,000 has been used as an estimate.

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EMERGENCY NUMBERS

FIRES ONLY—238-2121

Other Fire Business—238-2326

POLICE—238-2323 and 238-6523

Chief—238-3711

FIRE ALARM BOX NUMBERS

All Alarms Sounded at Both North Easton and South Easton Stations

18 NORTH EASTON STATION AND COMPANY ONLY

- 15 C. D. Hdqs., Sullivan Ave.
- 21 271 Center Street
- 23 Center St. and Columbus Ave.
- 24 Park and Hayward Streets
- 25 Center and Day Streets
- 26 Center St., Main and Lincoln Sts.
- 27 Sheridan St. and Coughlin Rd.
- 28 Lincoln and Day Streets
- 29 Barrows St. at Jr. High School
- 31 Canton St. and Picker Lane
- 32 Main and Oliver Streets
- 34 Elm and Pleasant Streets
- 35 Ames American Plant, Main St.
- 36 North Main and Canton Streets
- 37 North Main and Holmes Streets
- 38 North Main St. at McAna's
- 39 Sportwelt Shoe Co., Mechanic St.
- 41 Mechanic and Andrew Streets
- 42 Pond St. at McFarland's Res.
- 43 Main Street, Langwater Dairy
- 45 Elm St. opposite Mullen Lane
- 46 John Ames, Jr., Elm Street, Pvt.
- 47 John S. Ames, Sr., Main St., Pvt.
- 48 Steadfast Rubber Co., Oliver St.
- 49 Steadfast Rubber Co., Warehouse
- 51 Main and William Streets
- 52 Williams and Reynolds Sts.
- 53 Seaver Street and Pine Lane
- 54 Seaver and Jenny Lind Streets
- 56 N. Easton Savings Bank, Main St.
- 57 Main St. at Lakeview Rest Home
- 58 Baldwin Street
- 59 Main and Seaver Streets
- 61 Oliver Ames High School,
Columbus Avenue
- 62 Lincoln Street at Standpipe
- 63 Lincoln Street at Maliff's Res.
- 64 Western Ave. and Gardner Road
- 65 Sheridan and Spooner Streets
- 67 Sheridan Street at No. 195
- 68 Center and Short Streets
- 69 Sheridan and Lothrop Streets
- 71 Standley and Judith Roads
- 72 Easton Highway Gar., Center St.
- 73 Holy Trinity Luth. Church,
Lincoln Street
- 74 Masonic Hall, William St., Pvt.
- 75 North Main and Harlow Streets
- 76 Parkview School, Spooner Street
- 78 Parris Hall, Jenny Lind Street
- 79 Copeland Fun'l Home, Center St.
- 82 Harrison Ave. at Dailey Ave.
- 87 Village Nursing Home
- 121 Summer St. and Baltic Ave.
- 157 Housing for Elderly, Elise Drive
- 2124 Tyson Rd. and Central St.
- 311 Town Office, Elm St.
- 332 Washington St. between Main and
Elm Streets
- 334 Washington and Elm Streets
- 335 Washington St. at Unionville Sch.
- 336 Washington and Union Streets

- 337 Washington St., at Stoughton Line
- 338 Union St., at Knapp's Restaurant
- 339 Elm Street, at Marshall's Farm
- 341 Dickerman and Miller Roads
- 342 Marshall and Calvin Roads
- 412 Stonehill College
- 413 Moreau Hall, Washington St.
- 414 Four Hundred Rest., Wash'n. St.
- 415 49 Belmont Street
- 416 Belmont St. Brockton Line
- 417 Eisenhower Drive at No. 24

421 SOUTH EASTON STATION AND COMPANY ONLY

- 422 Pine and Turnpike Streets
- 423 Depot and Turnpike Streets
- 424 Turnpike and High Streets
- 425 Pine and High Streets
- 426 Pine and Hill Streets
- 427 Turnpike and Hill Streets
- 431 Washington Street, at Vose's
- 432 Washington St. and Birch Road
- 433 Westwood and Susan Roads
- 434 Live Oak Drive
- 441 Fernandes Market, Main St.
- 442 Washington and Main Streets
- 443 Washington Street at Seminary
- 445 Washington and Belmont Sts.
- 446 Washington and Central Streets
- 447 Washington and Depot Streets
- 448 J. W. Wood Company, Belmont St.
- 449 St. Pius X Seminary
- 451 Washington and Purchase Sts.
- 452 Washington and Turnpike Sts.
- 453 Turnpike and Peterson Sts.
- 455 Turnpike and Foundry Sts.
- 458 South'n R. V. School, Fndry St.
- 461 Depot and Drake Streets
- 462 Short St. & Lyman Wheelock Rd.
- 466 Priscilla Road at #31
- 551 Center and Depot Streets
- 552 Center Congregational Church
- 553 Center School
- 562 Belcher Malleable Iron Company
- 5111 Easton Furnace Co.
- 5212 Bay Rd. & Foundry St.

Outside District Calls

- 3 Blast on Whistle Squad Call
- 5 Blast on Whistle Emergency
- 3-3-3 Outside Aid
- 4-4 South Easton & Eastondale Dist.
- 5-5 Bay Road & Poquanticut Dist.
- 7-7 Forest Fires All Stations
- 9-9 Gen. Assembly All Firefighters
- 22-22 National Guard Alert

No School Signals

- 2-2-2 Sounded at 6:45 a.m. No School
all day for High and Jr. Hi Schs.
- 2-2-2 Sounded at 7:30 a.m. No School
all day for All Elementary Grds.
- 2-2-2 Sounded at 12:30 p.m. No School
afternoon for the North Easton
Grammar School.

